

## County Sets a Salary Schedule For Coming Year

At the meeting of the Commissioners Court Wednesday, the following salary schedule was adopted for the coming year:

County Judge, \$4,500 per year.  
County Attorney, \$4,250.  
County and District Clerk, \$4,500.  
Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector, \$5,400, plus 7c per mile for use of car.  
County Treasurer, \$3,250.  
Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1, \$2,650.  
Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 3, \$110 per month.  
County Agent, \$175 per month.  
Home Demonstration Agent, \$175.  
Secretary to two agents, \$50.  
Deputy Sheriff, \$260 per month, plus 7c per mile for car.  
Assistant deputy, \$220 per month, plus 7c per mile for car.  
Clerk in collector's office, \$150 per month.  
Deputy to County Clerk, \$165 per month.  
Assistant Deputy, \$150.  
Engine and Grader Men, \$200 and \$225 per month.  
Court Reporter, \$78.08 per month.  
Assistant District Attorney, \$50.00.  
Stenographer, District Attorney, \$25.00.  
Janitor at Court House, \$190 per month.  
Library allowance, \$85 per month.  
Dreamland Cemetery, \$225 per month.  
J. M. Allred, deputy sheriff and collector in South Amarillo, \$350 per month, with charge of \$50 per month for house rent plus utilities bills.  
The four Commissioners did not set their own salaries. They are now drawing \$2,000 per year, states Judge Burney Slack.

## Plans Approved For Buildings on WT Campus

Plans for two new buildings on the campus of West Texas State were approved Friday at the meeting of the board of regents for Teachers Colleges held in Fort Worth. Newton Harrell is chairman of this board.

The regents approved plans for the new chapel, funds for which have been raised by Dr. J. A. Hill, president emeritus of the college. The chapel will cost \$45,000.

The plans for the \$375,000 physical education building were approved. This is the new gymnasium which will be built west of Buffalo Stadium.

Bids on the two new buildings will be opened next month, and the contract will be approved by the regents before construction will start.

## Two Candidates File For Place on City Ticket

Two more candidates have filed for places on the city ballot.

Harold D. Curtis, owner of the Curtis Plumbing and Heating Company, has filed as a candidate for mayor of Canyon.

R. E. Harrison, owner of the Harrison Electric and Refrigeration Company, has filed as a candidate for city commissioner.

A ticket of three names were petitioned last week as candidates for the three places on the ballot. These are: Clyde W. Warwick, publisher of the Canyon News, for mayor; Paul Lindsey, owner of the Lindsey Motor Company, and Herschel Coffee, professor in West Texas State, as candidate for city commissioners.

The election will be held on Tuesday, April 4. Candidates must file for places on the ticket, or be petitioned to run for places on the ticket by friends, 30 days before election date.

## Legislature Called To Meet on January 31 Special Session

Governor Allan Shivers has called the Texas Legislature to meet on January 31 for the purpose of providing funds for operation of the eleemosynary institutions for the year starting September 1st.

If the legislature can find the money for buildings, it is proposed that a start be made on the building which is recognized as very essential for the state.

The state faces a deficit of 26 million dollars on September 1 largely due to the decline in receipts from oil.

### ATTENDS DEPUTY MEET

W. H. McKee, District Deputy Grand Master of Ninety-ninth District of Grand Lodge of Texas, flew to Ft. Worth Saturday for a meeting with Grand Master Albert J. DeLange and other District Deputies at the Masonic Home and School.

# The Canyon News

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## 55 Residences and Remodeling During Past Year

New residents and additions to old homes in Canyon numbered 55 according to records in the office of the City Secretary, E. T. Cummings. No permits are required for buildings on the campus of West Texas State.

The total cost of the buildings was estimated at \$210,250 before construction was started, according to the records.

Eight building permits were issued to commercial and industrial buildings during the year, with a cost of \$19,150.

## City Received Only One Bid on Engine Chassis

The City Commission was unable to complete plans for a new fire engine at the meeting Friday night due to the lack of bids on the engine chassis.

The commission bought the pump and other equipment that goes with the fire fighting equipment from Tom W. Carpenter Co. of Amarillo. The equipment comes from the Boardman company, one of the leading manufacturers of this equipment. The bid was \$4,233.

There was only one bid on the chassis from local dealers. The law provides that a minimum of three bids shall be received.

## Final Rites For Mrs. Carver Held Here Friday p. m.

A long time resident of Canyon, Mrs. Sarah Carver, died at her home here 1802 2nd Ave., January 12. Mrs. Carver had been a resident of Canyon for 30 years, having come here in 1919. Her husband, the late J. C. Carver, died in 1933.

Mrs. Carver was 76 years old, and was born December 23, 1873 at Goshen, Indiana. She was a member of the Church of Christ here.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon January 13, at 2:30 o'clock at the Church of Christ with Rev. Joe Watson and Rev. Earl Craig officiating. Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery under the direction of Griggs-Warren Funeral Home.

Palbearers were R. H. Jennings, Bill Downing, Neil Downing, S. H. Jones, J. H. Lisle and E. A. Brown. Honorary palbearers were Don Stone, Charles Smith, James Duncan, J. C. Duncan, Elmer Mickey, and Troy Thurmon.

Survivors include four sons, Joe Carver, Canyon; E. R. Carver, Amarillo; Grover Carver, Amarillo; and Paul Carver of Houston; one daughter, Mrs. Ray Welch of Canyon, and 13 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

## Hospital News

Mrs. Leo Begner, medical.

Mrs. Arthur Mullins, medical.

Mrs. Oma Sigman, medical, dismissed.

Mrs. C. A. Murray, accident, dismissed.

Miss Ruth Bradford, medical, dismissed.

Mrs. Pat Baber, surgical.

Fred Huseman, medical, dismissed.

Mrs. M. A. Hollabough, surgical, dismissed.

Mrs. Claude Moore, accident, dismissed.

W. C. Cox, surgical.

Fred Hoyt, medical.

Mrs. Heyle Shipman, surgical.

Miss Betty Semple, medical, dismissed.

Bob Clark, surgical.

Conley Campbell, tonsillectomy, dismissed.

Dorothy Mae Sheppard, medical.

Mrs. Don Schaeffer, medical.

Students:

Ralph Emerson, medical, dismissed.

Kenneth Price, medical, dismissed.

Pete Bromley, medical.

## Regional Adviser of Girl Scouting Visits Canyon

Mrs. Ivalee Hobden of Dallas, Girl Scout Community Adviser of Region 9 was in Canyon Wednesday for a meeting with the leaders in scouting in Canyon.

An all day session was held in the Scout Hut. Mrs. Hobden gave instructions in leadership to the approximately 30 women attending.

Luncheon was served to the group at the College Cafeteria.

Mrs. Mona Kate Hawkins and Daniel of Amarillo visited the parental Ira Fleming home Sunday.

## M. E. Cantrell Asks Re-Election Office of Sheriff



M. E. CANTRELL

M. E. Cantrell has authorized The News to announce his candidacy for re-election to the office of Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector. His statement follows:

"In seeking re-election to this important office in Randall county, I am submitting my candidacy strictly upon my record and experience as your public servant.

"I am truly grateful to all citizens of Randall county for the splendid co-operation that you have given me in the past, and am mindful of the fact that I would not have been able to make such a good record without the help of all citizens.

"This office is very important to the welfare of each and every citizen of Randall county. Therefore, I have tried my best to give you good service at all times, and to provide deputies who would perform the functions that you were entitled to and which you desired from your Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector.

"In going to the polls in the July primary, I trust that each and every voter will consider the record and experience of your candidate for this office. In the meantime, I trust that I shall be able to meet each of you and discuss my candidacy. I shall welcome a full and complete investigation of all functions of this office, and the record that I have made while serving you in the past. If you approve my record as a public official, I shall greatly appreciate your support and vote in the primary. I shall diligently try to meet all voters between now and the July primary, but if the duties of office make it impossible, I hope that you will take this message as a personal invitation from me to you for your support in July," stated Mr. Cantrell.

## Bufs Have a Perfect Record Border Circuit

The Buffalo basketball team added two Border Conference victories to their string Wednesday and Thursday night.

Hardin-Simmons University of Abilene was defeated Wednesday night at Burton gym by a score of 63 to 50.

On Thursday night the Bufs took a tight game from New Mexico University by the score of 37-33. Both teams were off form in hitting baskets, and the Buffaloes won by superior free throws.

While on the western trip to Arizona, it is expected that the Bufs will run into rough sledding. Both Tempe and the University of Arizona have splendid ball clubs, according to reports.

## Funeral Held In Post Jan. 9

Funeral services for Mrs. T. A. Pierce, who died January 7 in the Lubbock Hospital, were held Monday afternoon, January 9 at the First Christian Church in Post. Mrs. Pierce was 44 years old, and was a sister of J. C. Curb of this city.

## SOCIAL PIONEERS TO MEET

The Social Pioneers will meet Thursday, January 26, in the home of Mrs. J. C. Dowd. It is urged that all members be present.

## MARRIAGE LICENSE

William Eugene Cole to Juanita Ethelreda Mendenhall, January 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Lowry of Clarendon and Mrs. Leroy Lowry of Claude visited in the parental R. D. Lowry home Saturday.

Mrs. O. Cole from Rule arrived Sunday to visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. C. A. Murray and family.

## Five Veterans Get Land Loans From the State

Five veterans of World War one have secured aid from the State of Texas under the land production act, and three more applications are nearly ready to close, according to Hayden Weaver, who is assisting the veterans in this work.

Under the law passed by the last session of the legislature, veterans who wish to purchase land must first find some land owner who is willing made a sale to the veteran. He must then make application for aid, and a representative from the land board makes an inspection to determine the value of the land which the veteran has selected. The land must not cost more than \$10,000, of which amount the State will loan the veteran a maximum of \$7,500, to be repaid on easy terms.

Of the five loans so far closed, all of the men are farmers who wish to go into business for themselves in Randall county.

It is reported that only 250 land purchases have so far been approved in Texas. If this number is correct then Randall county is getting its share, and possibly more than its share, of the veteran land purchase money.

Veterans who wish to live on the land and to own their own homes are urged to take advantage of the land purchase act. But they must take the first step and get the consent of present land owners to sell them land before making applications. Land so far purchased runs from \$60 to \$150 per acre.

## Petit Jurors Are Selected for Jan. 30 District Court

The following men have been summoned as members of the petit jury to appear on January 30:

James Cabe, M. N. Ensign, E. T. Seiders, J. N. Pope, W. T. Oliver, Jack Barnard, Sam N. Hodges, H. C. Mosley, W. R. Kaufman, I. W. Hudson, L. L. Pate, T. H. Brasher.

A. G. Garson, T. L. Kietes, C. L. Evans, D. B. Johnson, C. R. Eaton, Joe Franks, T. B. Bailey, Luel V. Childers, Cleon Ligon, Ray W. Nunn, Solon May, T. H. McDonald.

George Moore, L. E. Mason, A. B. Odum, George Hirsch, Glenn T. Jones, T. C. Grimes, Wilson Forrester, Joe Winstead, Edgar Robinson, Iverson Leake.

R. A. Burrus, Harold Andrews, Robert Boling, Carlos E. Enstance, Joe B. Cox, R. A. Peery, R. H. Eldridge, Douglass Marshall, Lon D. Edwards, Frank DeWolf, Guy N. Barnett, Edd Reynolds, C. E. Durham.

## Crannell Tolliver Showed Pictures of Work on Defectives

Crannell Tolliver, head of the Speech Department of West Texas, showed a picture Tuesday at the Rotary Club luncheon on work among defective children by the University of Illinois. The picture showed all forms of physical handicaps which were being overcome through scientific work.

Dr. Joe Hill read a tribute as published in the Post Branding Iron by Dr. David H. Templeton, former Presbyterian pastor in Canyon.

Clyde Warwick announced plans for the Chamber of Commerce banquet on January 27.

The March of Dimes was stressed in another announcement.

Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McLean, Jr., Wm. Curtis, J. H. Brown, W. W. Rusk, Arthur Osgood, Herman Ford, John E. Hill, E. Kancher, Forrest Barnes, Densel Dean, Joe C. Rogers, Irving Tolzien, all of Amarillo; Bob Lindley of Borger.

## BOY SCOUT TROOP 66 IS CARRYING OUT SCHEDULE

Boy Scout Troop 66 meets every Wednesday night at Joyner Motor Co. under the leadership of R. E. Harrison, Scout master and Ray Campbell, assistant scoutmaster, Bernie Morris and Truman Laughery, junior assistant scoutmasters and James Joyner, scout patrol leader.

Troop 66 has an explorer unit for boys 16 years and older. This group is headed by Riley Baker.

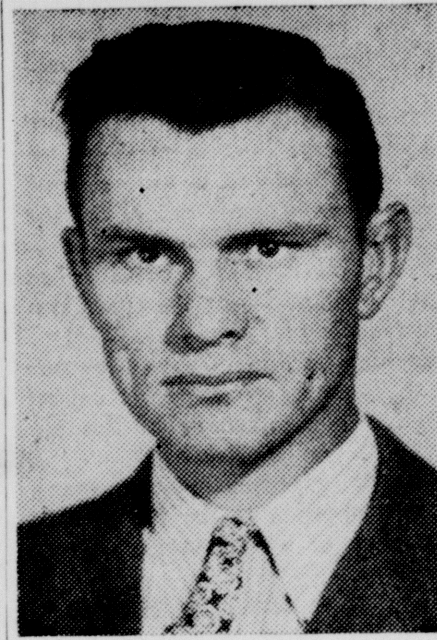
E. W. Glenn, chairman of the committee, has donated land for a campsite in Palo Duro Canyon. This is a private camp.

All boys from 11 to 17 who are interested in scouting should see Mr. Harrison about joining.

## BANK TO BE CLOSED

The First National Bank will be closed all day Thursday, January 19, in observance of the birthday of Robert E. Lee.

## T. H. Lair Asks Re-election To Clerk's Office



T. H. LAIR

The News is authorized to announce the candidacy for re-election of T. H. Lair for the office of County and District Clerk. His announcement follows:

"I will make every effort to perform the duties of this office more efficiently if re-elected.

"I am very appreciative of the confidence placed in me by the people of Randall county in the past, and will appreciate a continuation of this trust.

"I will solicit as many votes individually as time will permit, and hope that the voters whom I am unable to contact will remember that the duties of this office will not allow time for extensive campaigning," stated Mr. Lair.

## Only Thousand Pay Poll Taxes Entire County

Poll tax payment in Randall county are very, very slow, according to M. E. Cantrell, tax collector.

Less than 1,000 citizens have paid their 1949 poll tax and are eligible to cast a vote in the elections of Randall county for the coming year. Only 175 poll tax receipts have been issued in South Amarillo so far, and the balance in Canyon.

Mr. Cantrell urges all who pay their property taxes to ask about the poll tax, since this tax is not included in the tax statement this year and is not assessed against other property.

## 49ers to Sponsor Square Dance Thursday Night

On Thursday evening, January 19 from 8:00 until 11:00 o'clock the 49ers Square Dance Club will sponsor a dance at the club room over Samuelson Motor Company.

The public is invited. Admission will be \$1.00 per couple.

On January 28th the club will join the Amarillo square dance clubs in a dance at the club rooms of the Federation of Womens' Clubs in Amarillo.

## Four Men Fined \$50 Each Hunting Ducks Near Lake

A story from Canyon was played up this morning in the Amarillo papers which states that an investigation will be made of game wardens. Four prominent men paid fines of \$50 each, plus \$13 costs. This was on January 12.

The men were charged with shooting ducks at Buffalo Lake on November 3 but did not show up for a hearing until last week.

Judge B. F. Machen states that he has no way of knowing who has been caught until they show up for their trial. A game warden recommended that the fine be set at \$100, but Judge Machen cut this amount to \$50.

## Stork Specials

Born to Mr. and Mrs. K. Kendrick, a daughter, on January 16. Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick live in Stratford. The daughter was born in Neblett Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Piner Stevens are the parents of a son, born January 17 in Neblett Hospital.

Mrs. W. I. Wester spent from Saturday until Wednesday in Amarillo caring for her grandchildren, Lonnie and Donna, while their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wester attended the Painters and Contractors Convention held in Amarillo this week.

## City of Canyon Will Discontinue Use of Jail; County Advised to Place Its Prisoners in Some Other Building

The City of Canyon has notified Randall county that it will discontinue the arrangements which have been in existence for several years in the operation of the jail.

When the city built its city hall and fire station, the county sold to the city the iron cage which had formerly been housed in a small frame building southeast of the of the square.

The cage was placed in the brick building, and the city assumed the operation of the jail. The jail has been condemned many times by the grand jury as being inadequate and a financial loss and risk on the part of the city.

No date was set by the City Commission in the order to discontinue the arrangements.

The letter follows:

January 11, 1950.  
Randall County Commissioners  
Court  
Attention: Honorable Burney Slack,  
County Judge

Dear Judge Slack:

The City Commission has instructed us to notify you of their desire to discontinue the use of the city jail for the caring of county prisoners.

As you know, the jail has been condemned on various occasions by the Randall County Grand Jury, because it is unsafe and unsanitary. In addition to this, the city has consistently sustained a loss each month on its maintenance, and is at the same time carrying a liability for the welfare of the prisoners kept

## Baptist Church Starts Chapel in West Canyon

The First Baptist Church of Canyon is building a chapel at 601 Fourth Avenue in Canyon. Construction has already begun, and completion of the building is expected within sixty days. It will be used to extend the services of the church to care for the needs of those of Baptist preference in that portion of Canyon. A Sunday School, preaching services, and certain week-day religious educational services will be held there, according to announcement of Pastor Roy L. Johnson. The new building, made of brick-tile and neatly finished inside, will probably be opened with a series of revival services to be conducted by Pastor Johnson.

The building now being constructed is designed for educational purposes, and faces west on the 150x140 corner lot. The south side is to be finished with windows, leaving space for addition of an auditorium when need arises, thus making an attractive church building. The building committee consists of Virgil Henson, John H. Wright, A. M. Cunningham and John L. Hammond.

## Bellah's Installed New Refrigeration Cases in Store

An Amarillo wholesale company carries a weekly feature of listing improvements which are being made by their customers in the area. The following item was carried this week:

"Our hats are off this week to the Bellah Super Market of Canyon—to Dick, himself, to Bob Bellah, produce manager, and Marvin Fite, his assistant. Three 10 foot refrigerator cases have been added to their produce department. Everything is being washed before displaying, and it really puts a sparkle on those stacks of fresh merchandise."

Several new display tables are being built to add to the attractiveness of the store.

## P.T.A. Discusses Teamwork, School And Community

Tonight, Thursday, January 19, the Canyon Parent and Teacher Association will meet in the Cafeteria at the Public School at 7:45.

The topic for discussion is Teamwork Between School and Community with Clyde W. Warwick as guest speaker.

Herman Demus, director, will lead the high school band in several special selections.

A cordial invitation is extended to all interested in the school to attend this meeting.

### CUTS HAND

James Curb cut the lower palm on his right hand last Tuesday evening while adjusting the safety sign on his bicycle. The cut required six stitches to close.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thompson, who are leaving Canyon this week, were entertained with several parties last week. Mr. Thompson finished his work for his B. S. degree at the close of this term at W. T. S. Mrs. Thompson has been employed in the County Clerk's office since February of 1947.

in jail. Also, the city is purchasing a new fire truck and will have to enlarge the space used at present for storage of fire equipment, and need the entire jail space for this purpose.

For those reasons the commission believes it to be to the best interests of both city and county to discontinue its use as a jail.

We trust this action will not inconvenience the county in caring for its prisoners, and wish to thank the Commissioners Court for their cooperation with the city regarding the use of the jail.

Sincerely yours,  
CITY OF CANYON.  
By E. T. Cummings,  
City Secretary.

## Annual Dinner Canyon Chamber Commerce Set

The annual banquet of the Canyon Chamber of Commerce will be held at the Methodist Church on Friday night, January 27, at 7:30 o'clock. Women of the church will serve the dinner for the occasion.

Tickets are on sale at the office of A. B. Holt, executive secretary, and must be purchased by Tuesday, January 24. Only 200 tickets are available and reservation should be made as quickly as possible.

President James P. Cornette will be the speaker for the evening.

A plaque will be presented to the person who has been named as the outstanding citizen of Canyon during 1949, and directors introduced for the coming year.

Clyde W. Warwick, retiring president of the Chamber of Commerce, will be the toastmaster.

The following will be the program: Song—America, led by Houston Bright.

Invocation.

Welcome to visitors.

Dinner.

Report of Secretary A. B. Holt on receipts and expenses of the past year.

Music by male quartet, directed by Houston Bright.

Address by Dr. James P. Cornette.

Introduction of new directors by Delbert Lowes.

Presentation of plaque for most useful citizen of 1949 by Dr. Ples Harper.

Benediction.

## Glenn W. Dowlen Is Candidate For Commissioner No. 3



GLENN W. DOWLEN

The News is authorized to announce the candidacy of Glenn W. Dowlen, who is a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3.

Mr. Dowlen states:

"I wish to announce my candidacy for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3. I have lived in Randall county for 32 years, so I feel that I know the needs of the precinct as well as the county as a whole. If elected to this important office I will work diligently for farm-to-market roads for the best interest of the precinct and the county.

"I sincerely solicit the vote of each voter in Precinct No. 3 in the July Democratic Primary," concluded Mr. Dowlen.

## Mrs. Armstrong Buried January 7 Tulia Cemetery

Mrs. Fred Armstrong, who had resided on a farm located between Happy and Tulia for many years, passed away Thursday, January 5, and was buried January 9.

Funeral services were held at the First Christian Church in Tulia, and burial was in the Tulia Cemetery. Mrs. Armstrong was a sister-in-law of Mrs. J. C. Curb of Canyon.



EDITORIAL COMMENTS

Passing of Pioneers Leaves a Huge Obligation Leadership

Death has removed several men who have had a decided influence in the moulding of Canyon during its pioneer days. Those of the younger generation will have to read history for a long time to ever realize what influence these men have had upon this community. It would be impossible to list all of these pioneer builders, and so we select only a few who have been rather exclusive in the field in which they were best known.

Judge James O. Hamlin has made a greater personal contribution to the development of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society than any of the pioneers who have labored long and constructively for the upbuilding of this great institution. His donation of art has been most outstanding.

Dean D. A. Shirley has perhaps made a greater contribution to the educational development of the Plains than any other individual who has recently left us. His work in this field has been well recognized by all who have been associated with him in educational lines.

From a city building standpoint, few persons have equalled the record of Henry Bradford. His work has not only been seen in Canyon, but before coming here he left his monument in Chillicothe where he first lived.

No man has ever influenced the financial structure of the community as did Roy H. Wright, who died a few months ago after spending 43 years in the banks of Canyon. He leaves a lasting monument in his sound financial building.

The life's work of these leaders is a challenge to those of us upon whom their work now falls. The pioneers are rapidly passing on. Their faith in this country must be carried on by a younger generation, which has a vital part in community building and community leadership.

What About China? Does She Want the Reds, or Not?

We feel sorry for Mme. Chiang Kai-Shek as she returns to a torn and broken remnant of a former free and easy going native land. Educated in America, and having largely adopted American ways, she relied upon her personal charm, hoping to talk Washington out of more money to pour into the hopeless struggle of China against the invading Reds.

All of us wish that we knew the answer for China. So far as the Chinese people are concerned, there is no cause for worry. A hundred or a thousand years means nothing to the Chinese. They will eventually repel the Reds if that is the way they feel about the invasion. However, who knows just how the Chinese feel about Red domination? Maybe they feel that the influence of Moscow would be no worse than the grafting government of Chiang.

It is a tough situation for President Truman. It puts him on the spot. He must either run the risk of squandering billions of dollars fighting an unpopular war, or succumb to Stalin, who might retaliate by starting a war in Europe. No one wants to see our troops used in Asia, regardless of our wishes to help China.

Folks Not Expecting Great Changes During Year of 1950

There seems to be a general changed attitude in our citizens regarding 1950.

No one expects any radical decline in prices during the year. There will be readjustment in the price structure, but on the whole there is sure to be constancy in prices.

In the second place, citizens are talking as if they expect a rather short crop year. Throughout the war years, nature has been very kind to the producers. The farmers have raised excellent crops, and it would be only the natural thing to expect a decline in production. (On this Thursday, as this is being written, the skies are overcast, with a light drizzle at times). A good rain would relieve the fears of many who think that the worst might happen in 1950.

Furthermore, most people are expecting a continuation of the high cost of government, and therefore high taxes. The federal government is broke; the state is running in the red; and local branches of the government need more money.

All of this adds up to a pretty staple condition during 1950.

John L. Still Holds Whip Over the Back of President

When is an emergency not an emergency? When a labor boss is a part of the picture?

The miners of America are working only three days per week—that is, all of those who are actually at work. A large number of wildcat strikes are disrupting production in many mines.

Public officials have asked the President to apply the Taft-Hartley law to John L. Lewis. There is no emergency, so far as the President is concerned.

The man on the street wants to know whether miners working three days per week can produce a sufficient amount of coal to keep the wheels of industry running in high gear. If they cannot produce this much coal, and industry is suffering as a result of this decline in production, then certainly the emergency exists.

The President does not contend that the nation must use its last shovelful of coal before there is danger.

Subscribers are reminded that newspapers need money every week, and those who have coin to spare can help by paying their subscription accounts promptly.

Taxpayers are beginning to understand that it is easier to vote bonds for public improvements than it is to collect the taxes to pay the interest and retire the bonds.

Even a business man can do as he pleases; he can advertise or he can let his competitor get the business.

The expression of personality is not synonymous with oddity or insanity.

The further a man gets from his associates, the more positive he becomes.

Thrilling statistics: There are about fifteen applicants for every post-office job.

Taxes Cannot Be Reduced So Long as We Continue Talking

It is rather interesting to watch the process by which people react to prevailing conditions today. We are all for economy. We all like to cuss our public officials and wonder why they cannot see that taxes are away out of sight, and that something must be done to reduce the cost of government.

When it comes to our share in government, do we practice what we preach? Well, seldom; as a matter of fact, very, very seldom!

If it is the federal government, we demand more and more services. We wonder why Congress is so dumb that it cannot see the great need for the thing in which we are interested.

If it is the state government, we Texans like to see the state spending more and more money—provided it is spent for the things in which we have a major interest. As to the other fellow, he should be cut out entirely!

As to local government, we demand that the county and the city and schools go the limit in spending for those things which are of vital interest to us. And we wonder why in the world our officials cannot see the necessity of our pet projects.

But taxes. TAXES ARE TOO HIGH—so we claim. They must be reduced—so we cry. But are we helping reduce taxes? Hardly a bit. Most of us glory in public spending, but sure want to see our government get into the pockets of the other fellow and get his money rather than take any of this tax money from our pockets.

Your government—our government—can spend and accomplish just in proportion to the money that it extracts from the pockets of the taxpayers—all of them, not just a select few.

Before you ask any branch of our government to spend more money, be sure to figure out just what part of that increase you are willing to put up—in cold cash!

India Is a Poor Spot on Which to Build a Democracy

Is it propaganda, or are the people of India really Democratic at heart?

We heard two natives of India talk last week. Their theme was that India would not tolerate Communism, and that India would develop a strong Democracy.

They plead for understanding, since America was the only Republic which had come into India without the desire to plunder. While professing to be friends of England, they insisted that the British had taken away their land; had plundered the nation of its resources; had cut off the thumbs of thousands of textile workers so that they could not compete with the British.

Under the new Republic the land has been returned to the natives. The natives loved their land, and would fight to defend it—just how effectively the pair did not say.

Six cents per day is the prevailing wage in India. Only a few can read or write. Starvation is common. India is a land of extreme wealth on the one hand, and extreme poverty on the other. It is a land of many conflicting and violent religions, yet it welcomes the missionaries.

From all of the conflicting reports we could not but wonder as to what manner of country it really is, and whether it is a very strong arm of the Democracies.

Political Observers Are Not Expecting Hot Races in 1950

We are advised that 1950 will be a very quiet political year so far as Texas is concerned. Candidates are slow in getting into the races. Down Austin way there seems to be little incentive for many candidates for the major political offices.

We cannot keep from wondering how local candidates, if the crop is short, will fare in paying the expenses of the election. Most of them will figure that they can afford to pay a high rate for running without opposition, thus saving thousands of dollars on campaign expenses.

This will likewise apply to candidates for state offices.

The big battle is on in Texas!

A Good Scheme Is Proposed—If It Will Work in South

Someone comes up with the idea of winning the South away from the so-called Democratic party. It is suggested that Southern States hold a national convention early and nominate General Eisenhower as an Independent candidate for president.

The suggestion goes on further: Let the Republicans meet, after the President is re-nominated by the Democrats, and name Eisenhower as Republican candidate. In this manner the brass-collared Democrats of the South would get a chance to vote for an Independent, who in reality would be a Republican.

Perhaps it is a slick scheme—if it would work.

The people who get rich quick usually get that way by taking money from people who think they will get rich quick.

If little taxpayers were as successful in dodging taxes as the millionaires of the land are, there would be a little government bought and paid for.

The business man who depends on luck usually find that when he needs it most, he hasn't got much of it.

The human body is worth 97 cents if sold as "material," but not less than \$10,000 if killed in a wreck.

Every once in a while life presents a surprise: some good and some not so good.

We find it hard to understand why human beings go to sleep on railroad tracks.

Any married couple, with a couple of youngsters, knows that marriage is a racket.

Life is impeded by people who want the benefits without the accompanying obligations.

Never worry about the course of events; just be sure you are right and hold to your faith.

Candidates, who are elected, retain their faith in the ability of the people to rule themselves.

**Answers**

The high cost of living has had no effect on its popularity

**JANUARY**

15—Margaret O'Brien, child actress, born.

16—Nationwide meat strike begins, 1946.

17—Benjamin Franklin born, 1706.

18—Daniel Webster born, 1852.

19—Birth of Robert E. Lee, James Watt, Edgar Allan Poe, Paul Cezanne.

20—Truman inaugurated as president, 1949.

21—Foundation Day, celebrated in Canal Zone.

Happy Birthday

- January 20th—Ray Burrus, Carrol Ann Holt, Clinton Miller, Floyd Bragg, Mrs. T. M. Thurmon
- January 21st—LeRoy Moreland, Frank Hicks, Max Bellah, Clyde Root, Houston Bright, W. L. Browning, Mrs. Richard Coale, Monya Thurmon
- January 22nd—Charles Marshall, Fred Bragg, James Richard Park, Ruby Lee Bonds
- January 23rd—Dennis Burrus, W. H. McKee, Veronica Beckman, William Earl Juett, J. Spencer Winn
- January 24th—Edward Fluegel, Ezra Garrison, Jr., J. L. Bewley, Dee Zane Pond, Arlen Ray Wesley, Mrs. Viola Russell, Mary Alice Brazil, Mrs. James E. Boyd
- January 25th—J. D. Barker, Martha Jean Dowd, Harry Brown, Jr., T. A. Black, Dorothy Mae Campbell, Mrs. George Taylor, Billie Faye Miller, Mrs. George Bartlett, A. B. Odom, Mrs. J. C. Curb
- January 26th—Minnie Rebecca Williams, Mrs. Ray McReynolds, Louise Ann Dietz, Bertha Hollenstein, Velma Pratt, Jack Barnard, Mrs. J. H. McMurray, Mrs. G. H. Leseberg, Mrs. Oleta Abbott

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2. How many Republicans are there in each House?
3. Who is President of the Senate?
4. Name the Majority Leaders of both Houses?
5. Who is Speaker of the House?
6. What States make up the Arab League?
7. A new nation was born on Dec. 27, 1949. Name it.
8. How large is the new nation?
9. Who was president of the U. S. in 1900?
10. What is the native state of Andrew Jackson?

(See "The Answers on page 7")

ANN BARNHILL HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER

Miss Ann Barnhill was honored Tuesday evening, January 10, with a birthday dinner given by her mother, Mrs. Frank Barnhill. It was Ann's fourteenth birthday.

The dining table was covered with a white linen cloth, centered with the birthday cake bearing fourteen green candles, and flanked on either side by fuchsia candles. Green crystal carried out the table appointments of green, white and fuchsia.

Guests found their places by place cards decorated with pictures of a famous person whose birthday was the same month as the individual guest.

The dinner menu consisted of fruit cocktail, stuffed ham, orange sweet potatoes, string beans, hot rolls, ice cream and cake.

Following the dinner, each guest opened her plate favor which was tied with green satin ribbon, and the honoree opened her birthday gifts.

Dinner guests were Ann and Virginia Holt, Nancy Bolton, Johnnie Bonds, Billie Graham, Patsy Vandergriff, Dorothy Neblett, and the honoree, Ann Barnhill.

The Federal Government spends \$10 in paper work to execute a purchase order. . . . Ten dollars to purchase a 50c typewriter ribbon seems illogical.—Robert L. Johnson, president, Temple University, Philadelphia.

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Mrs. Thompson

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## Famed Modern Dancer Will Appear On WT Campus as Second Lyceum

When the curtain rises on the night of February 27 for the performance here of Martha Graham and her famous Dance Company with Erick Hawkins and other featured soloists at the Administration Building Auditorium, the local audience will see one of her most famous comedies and two of her dance dramas, called by the critic of Theatre Arts, "Drama-in-motion as exciting as anything the twentieth century has produced."

And, by special request, they will see one of the solos, which earned for her the appellation "unquestioned mistress of the solo-dance." With these, on a really generous and representative program, they will also see a composition in pure dance, exhibiting the unfailing originality of this choreographer which, according to the clear-headed critic of Newsweek brings most of the other leading choreographers to the opening nights to "borrow ideas."

For the past two seasons, Miss Graham has not included any of her celebrated solos in her tour programs, but for the performance to be given here, she has agreed to present one of her most famous ones, "Salem Shore," a tender and poignant "danced ballad" of a woman's longing for the return of her beloved from the sea.

The score for this is by Paul Nordoff, who contributed the witty music of "Every Soul is a Circus," the comedy based upon the vanity of a silly, self-centered woman. This comedy, it may be remembered introduced Martha Graham to the wide public as a great comedian and drew headlines comparing her to Bea Lillie and Chaplin.

Of the two theatre pieces representative of Miss Graham's power as a dance dramatist (she has been called the most original of our playwrights), "Deaths and Entrances" caused a sensation on Broadway and is already regarded as a modern classic, while the other "The Eye of Anguish," based on the original legend of King Lear, is so new Broadway has not yet seen it. It was created especially for Erick Hawkins, leading male dancer of the company, who will be seen here in the role of the tormented and insane monarch, before New York audiences view the work.

Hunter Johnson composed the dark and haunting score for the first, which conveys the loves-and-hates of the too-close life of three sisters; their memories of childhood pictures through the innocent play of the "remembered children," they were; the jangled fantasy of desires and frustrations which come to the central figure, danced by Miss Graham, herself; and, as im-

plied in the title, the many little "deaths" in life and the gallant re-entry into living and sanity.

For "Lear," the score is by Vincent Persichetti, a "discovery" to the world of dance but, among the younger composers, one with a long list of compositions and orchestral performances to his credit.

"Diversion of Angels," also one of Miss Graham's newest works, was premiered with outstanding success at the American Dance Festival at New London, Connecticut, a summer ago but, like "Lear" has not yet been seen by New York.

To a distinguished score by Norman Dello-Joio, winner of this year's Music Critics Circle prize, it is not drama but, as one critic put it, "a pure dance of pure joy, in which a group of super-beings innocent of worldly emotion, appear like the angels of Jacob's Ladder in the wilderness."

Seldom in recent seasons have audiences been lucky enough to see a program so representative of the wide range of "America's great dancer."

### CONSUMERS

Happier times ahead are predicted for the nation's consumers, by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, which reports that money is expected to be more plentiful, a drop is expected in pork and egg prices and the easiest installment terms since the war.

### NEW MOUNTAIN

The Coast and Geodetic Survey has announced the discovery of a new mountain. Although it is 8,400 feet high, you would have to go 3,990 feet to stand on its peak. The mountain is that far under the surface of the Pacific Ocean, about 400 nautical miles southwest of the Queen Charlotte Islands, off British Columbia.

Senator Arthur Vandenberg, Republican leader on foreign policy, is not to be able to engage in a rough-and-tumble battle to support his ideas of an "unpartisan" policy for U. S. in dealing with the outside world. Sen. Vandenberg's strength is returning very slowly after the serious lung operation that he underwent.

Dwight Eisenhower, wartime commander in Europe, despite his protestations of lack of interest in politics is to find that the organization of Governor Thomas Dewey in New York is inclined to veer in his direction now that Governor Dewey is firmly out of the 1952 presidential race.

Tax planners in Congress are almost afraid to give the House and Senate a chance to open up the subject of excise taxes for fear that they will run wild in making cuts. Excise taxes offer an almost ideal field for legislative back-scratching—you vote to cut my excise and I'll vote to cut yours.

They called off a transit strike at Wilmington, Del., for five hours to carry spectators to and from the city's annual yuletide parade. Work was voluntary, no fares were collected. Now do you believe in Santa Claus?

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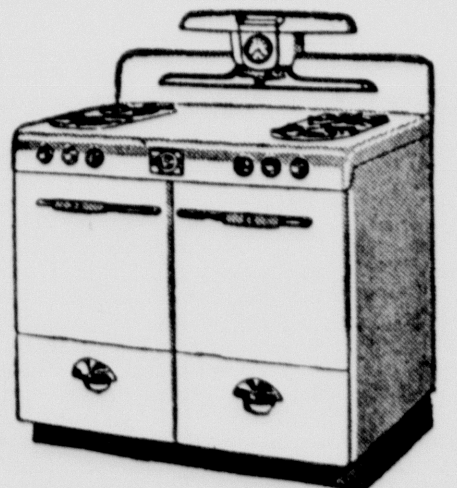
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**T. E. L. CLASS GUESTS IN HOME OF MRS. CARTRITE**

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Twelve members answered to roll call with the name of a woman of the Bible and told something about her.

Mrs. G. C. Cole brought a very

helpful devotional from 16th chapter of Romans on Women of the Bible. An offering of \$5.00 was taken for the W. C. T. U. to send to Harlingen, Texas. Plans were made to help a needy family and to make a sunshine bag to be given to a shut-in.

Mrs. J. I. Payton took charge of the program. Mrs. Mae Johnson gave the origin of the name T. E. L. Mrs. Payton conducted two contests

on women of the Bible. The meeting closed with prayer.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess during the social hour.

Paul Rogers left Friday for McAllen. Mrs. Rogers has been visiting there for the past three weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers returned home Tuesday night.

**MARY E. HUDSPETH CLASS HAS REGULAR DINNER MEET**

Members of the Mary E. Hudspeth Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church held their monthly dinner meeting in the home of Mrs. T. S. Stevenson on Thursday, January 12.

Mrs. R. A. Hodges, class president presided over the business meeting. Plans were made for the annual

Sweetheart Banquet to be held at the church on February 9. Mrs. W. R. Crow was elected decoration chairman and Mrs. Hodges dinner chairman.

The program for the day was arranged by Mrs. L. L. Byars and included a devotional "Seeing Jesus Better" by Mrs. J. C. McClendon and a book review "Life's Extras" by Mrs. T. H. Knighton.

Members attending were Mrs. Burney Slack, Mrs. Roy L. Johnson, Mrs. T. H. Knighton, Mrs. W. R. Crow, Mrs. Earl J. Davis, Mrs. J. C. McClendon, Mrs. W. B. Colwell, Mrs. L. L. Byars, Mrs. C. O. Elkins, Mrs. R. A. Hodges, Mrs. Carl V. Wimberly, Mrs. Lorenzo Wirt, Mrs. Crannell Tolliver and the hostess, Mrs. Minnie Stevenson and Dr. Roy L. Johnson were dinner guests.

**EDGETOWN H. D. CLUB BEGINS NEW YEAR IN ANDERSON HOME**

The Edgetown Home Demonstration Club met Friday, January 13, in the home of Mrs. C. Anderson for their first meeting of the new year. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. J. C. Dowd.

After the group read "My Daily Creed" in unison, each member present received her new year book and these books were partially filled out. Several other items of business were disposed of. Then Miss Lou Ella Patterson took charge of the meeting. She told of her wonderful trip to Chicago and showed her souvenirs received at the convention. She then discussed pruning evergreens and shrubs, giving demonstrations of several ways of pruning.

Club members were asked to select roses to order and bring money for them to the next meeting.

The meeting adjourned and the hostess served delicious refreshments to Mrs. G. B. Combs, Mrs. Pennie Cox, Mrs. H. F. Curtis, Mrs. J. C. Dowd, Mrs. C. W. Dunn, Mrs. G. B. Heath, Mrs. Dallas Milner, Mrs. E. C. Penick, Mrs. J. I. Payton, Mrs. Jessie Reid, Mrs. M. E. Sogree, Mrs. W. H. Sparks, Mrs. W. I. Wester, Mrs. John Wright and four guests, Mrs. E. N. Zachry, Mrs. Hollway, Miss Patterson and Mrs. Anderson's daughter, Mrs. L. B. Lakin of Waco who assisted her mother with the serving.

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Knighton were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knighton of Plainview, Miss Ruth Shipley, sister of Mrs. Bill Knighton who is a student at Wayland College; Mr. and Mrs. Don Cavness of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Knighton, Jr., of Canyon.

Mrs. Jack Parsons, Mrs. C. F. Rogers and Mrs. Doris Gillham attended a meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star in Roaring Springs Tuesday night to attend the initiation of Mr. and Mrs. Oliff Hamblin, brother and sister-in-law of the three women.

Rev. M. M. Beavers of Hereford spent Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor. Mr. Beavers is a superannuated Methodist pastor and served the local church while the church building was under construction.

Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Allen of Littlefield spent Sunday in the home of their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Bullard and Nancy Beth.

Don Fleming of Tucumcari, New Mexico, visited Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Fleming.

**New Zealand and Australia Still Paying the Cost**

The recent elections in New Zealand and Australia have a worldwide significance. In both cases, long-established socialist governments were decisively defeated. In both cases, they were replaced by governments which pledge themselves to halt further socialization and encourage private enterprise and industry, to reduce taxes, and to relax some of the onerous restrictions on individual freedom of action which their predecessors had placed in effect.

It is true that the new governments cannot immediately restore free enterprise as we understand it. Socialism has progressed too far in those countries to make it possible to get rid of it easily. But the vote certainly proves that New Zealanders and Australians have grown sick of political control of their lives—and of paying the huge tax bills that socialism makes inevitable. Press reports stress the fact that the voters had become disillusioned with super-government and with the welfare state.

It remains to be seen how successful Australia and New Zealand will be in breaking loose from the fetters that socialism placed upon them. At best it will be a long and grueling process. In this country, luckily, we can still save ourselves. The advocates of the welfare state are in full cry. So are those whose main ambition in life is to socialize such basic enterprises as the power industry. But they haven't reached their goal, and we can still stop them. We can close the door on socialism, and once more affirm our belief that government is the servant of the people, not the master.

The record speaks for itself. It is easy enough to denounce capitalism—but the fact remains that capitalism has given more people more abundance than any other system ever devised, and it has protected and maintained our liberties at the same time. Socialism, on the other hand, has invariably lowered living standards, destroyed initiative and independence, and made everyone a ward of the state. In its most intense form, as in Russia and Eastern Europe, it has turned whole nations into slave states.

The people of New Zealand and Australia have rejected socialism—but they will still be paying the price of it for many years to come. The people of the United States can prevent the disease, instead of having to try to cure it later on.

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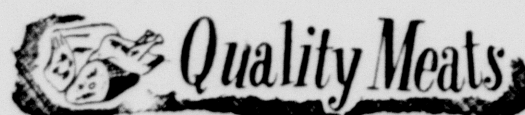
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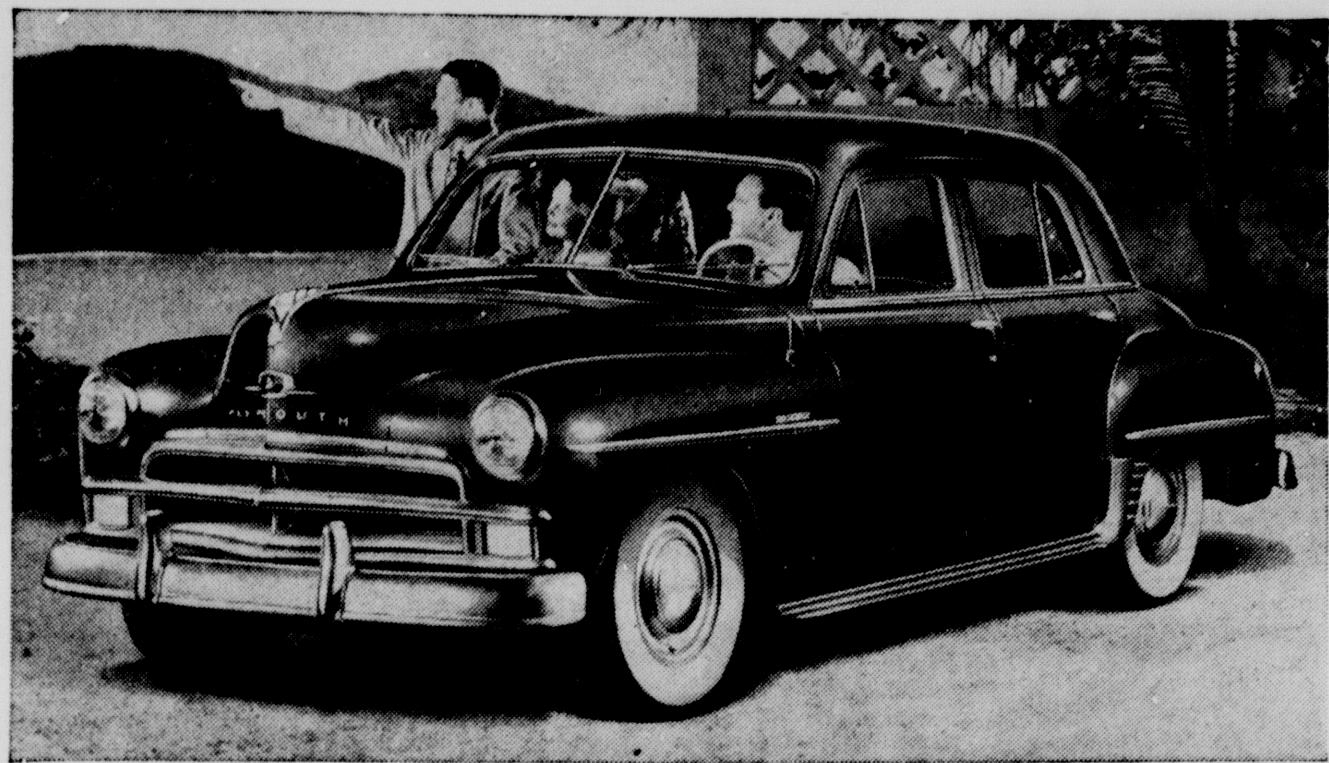
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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marshall and Jim spent three days over the week end at their Endee, New Mexico, ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Upfold spent Sunday in the home of her mother, Mrs. Teaff, in Floydada.

Dr. E. J. Cundiff returned Thursday from Dallas where he attended the Dallas mid-winter dental clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Huff of Wichita Falls arrived in Canyon Friday to be with Mrs. Huff's mother who underwent a major operation Saturday morning.

L. O. Jennings and family left Friday for Hot Springs, N. M., where they expect to stay during winter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lewis and children of Albuquerque spent the week end in the home of Mrs. W. H. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson are in Dallas this week at market.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Scott and Jeanine visited friends and relatives in Lubbock and Lamesa Sunday.

Embell Hicks and D. R. Hicks to J. H. Orton. Lot 5, Blk. 21 of Edgfield addition.

Mrs. C. L. Thompson left Sunday for Temple to accompany her niece, who goes for major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Warren are in Fort Worth and Dallas this week attending the dry goods market.

Major airlines end red years with \$17,000,000 for 1949.

## Government Has Spending-itis Under Truman

If anyone wonders why the cost of the Federal government is just about the most critical domestic issue we face, a tabulation recently printed by Reader's Digest will make the reason clear. It simply shows the amounts of money spent by each of the Presidents from the beginning of the nation up to September 30, 1949.

In the early days, Federal spending amounted to peanuts compared with modern standards. Washington and Adams each spent a little more than \$34,000,000. Lincoln had a war on his hands, yet his budgets totaled only \$3,252,000,000. Thereafter, expenses went down again. McKinley, for instance, spent just over \$2,000,000,000.

The first really big budget came with the first world war and the Wilson Administration—nearly \$47,000,000,000. Again expenses dropped, with Coolidge and Hoover together spending around \$34,000,000,000.

Then came the depression. President Roosevelt and the New Deal. During his first eight years in office Mr. Roosevelt's administration cost some \$67,500,000,000. The grand total for all the Presidents through 1949 was \$179,620,000,000. And that total, it must be remembered, covers more than 150 years of our history.

Reader's Digest leaves out the extraordinary expenditures of the World War II years—1941-45. It then lists President Truman's spending from the 1946 fiscal year to the end of September, 1949. It adds up to over \$191,000,000,000—nearly \$12,000,000,000 more than all his 32 predecessors spent except for the 1941-1945 period.

Here is a very revealing picture of the way the nation has gone. It is true that conditions have changed over the years. But it is also true that the government has expanded in every direction to a point far

## Political Announcements

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:  
PAT H. BABER

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:  
GLENN W. DOWLEN

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector  
M. E. CANTRELL

For County and District Clerk:  
T. H. LAIR

greater than most of us realize. Mr. Truman is now a symbol of that expansion, but he is not the major cause. Pressure groups of every kind have grown infinitely more adept and powerful, and office holders of both parties have fallen into line. The results are our huge budgets, with recurring Federal deficits in spite of these budgets.

A noteworthy development is the concern over our fiscal affairs which is being expressed by people who are not conservatives. Speaking of taxes and deficits, Dorothy Thompson says, "This appalling discrepancy between what is spent and what is raised occurs when the national income is near the highest in history! It is an absolutely reckless example of the spirit of 'after us the deluge.'" A great deal more pressure to cut the cost of government may be expected in the future than in the past.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Thompson of Hereford visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. B. C. Taylor.

### GOOD REASON

Friend: What's this I hear about your graduating? I thought you had two more years in school.

Football Player: I had, but the coach won't renew my contract.

Stephen Early, Under Secretary of Defense, is planning to step out of office in the spring if the reports of some of his official friends are correct.

John Kee, Member of Congress from West Virginia: "It would be a catastrophe, absolutely disastrous, to cut ECA below what is required to carry out the Marshall Plan."

### MEMORIES

Sailor: Doesn't this kiss make you long for another?  
Babe: Yes, but he's on duty!

FOR SALE: Circulating heater; Fiesta pottery; baby buggy. Phone 614-J, 2705 3rd Ave. 32tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 2 bedroom house in Amarillo for house in Canyon. Contact Vic or Elton Hill. Phone 451W. 45p4

FOR SALE: New two bedroom home. Close to school. Immediate possession. Priced reasonable. See W. C. Austin at West Texas Gas Co. Compressor Station. 44p4

FOR SALE: New and used Maytags. We service any make washing machine. Call 405 for a quick overhaul job. Cunningham Maytag Appliance. 1tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 11 Battery brooders in good condition; 7 finishers; 4 electric starters. Terms. Make me an offer. Pete Cavender, 1201 Sixth Ave. Phone 350 Canyon. 43p4

FOR SALE: 5 room brick veneer, 905 8th. Phone 186W. 18tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Equity in 6-room house, partial basement, fully insulated, nice back yard, garage and washhouse. Also adjoining 4-room house, new modern bath, hardwood floors, stucco finish, now rented to most desirable tenants. Properties can be bought separately. Priced reasonably. Call 392-W after 6 p.m. evenings. 34tf



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FOR SALE: 1937 Studebaker coupe, good condition, good tires. Price \$150. Also some used lumber. F. C. Gruner, Rt. 4, Box 472, 7 miles south of Amarillo. 45p2

FOR SALE: Home with rent property. Attractive location. 1401 7th. Phone 337. 45tf

FOR SALE or Trade for pickup: 1946 Olds 66 Hydromatic, R&H, low mileage. Steve Messenger, Conner Hall. 45p2

FOR SALE: 10 room house, 104 13th St. R. E. Brooks. 44p4

FOR SALE: New two bedroom house on 3rd St., near high school. Price \$5500.00. 100% G.I. loan available. Phone 277J, J. P. Hammons. 46tf

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FOR RENT: Furnished apartment. Phone 299W. It

STRAYED OR STOLEN: 3 head of cattle branded bar oved L on right hip from Billy Hammet's place 4 miles north and 4 miles west of Happy. J. J. Leavitt, Happy, Rt. 2 or Phone 9011-F12, Canyon. 46tf

LOST: One white faced heifer, Branded ? on left shoulder, in Ralph Switch vicinity. Phone 9026F2, Canyon, Texas. 45p2

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FOR RENT: Bedroom and apartment. 2111 7th Ave. 46pl

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Jesus Christ is our revelation of the generosity of God who has been the eternal Giver, enriching us with every sort of good thing. From the day of the first creation God has been at work with and for man. Each of us represents in his body and in his soul the everlasting toil of God, who truly wants to make us His children and who desires us to join Him in making an ever better world for His sons and daughters to live in. **JESUS IS OUR PATTERN OF WHAT A MAN CAN GIVE TO HELP IN THE PURPOSE OF GOD. HOW MUCH DID JESUS GIVE BACK TO GOD?**

Jewish and Christian people have agreed that we ought to give at least a tenth of our income to God and His Church for the carrying on of His redemptive program. A tenth will not necessarily discharge all our debt, but it will show a sense of deep gratitude. Everything is His, even the cattle of a thousand hills and the abundant harvest from the fields. He gives us everything which makes life abundant. Our ideal is to join in the prayer, "Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord to Thee." Let's be good partners with God. Let us be His co-workers. **MAY WE GLADLY GIVE BACK TO HIM AT LEAST A TENTH OF WHAT HE SO FREELY GIVES US.**

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## Pauline Graeber New WT Nurse



PAULINE GRAEBER

Pauline Graeber, who will graduate from the University of Texas with a degree in Nursing Education this January, will come to West Texas State as College Nurse with the resignation of Mrs. Pearl Longbine, present nurse.

Miss Graeber, who is 25 years old has had a varied experience in the nursing field, first graduating from the Scott and White School of Nursing in Temple in 1946, then becoming a night supervisor for the Scott and White Hospital from October, 1946, until February, 1948, when she entered the University of Texas Nursing School at Galveston.

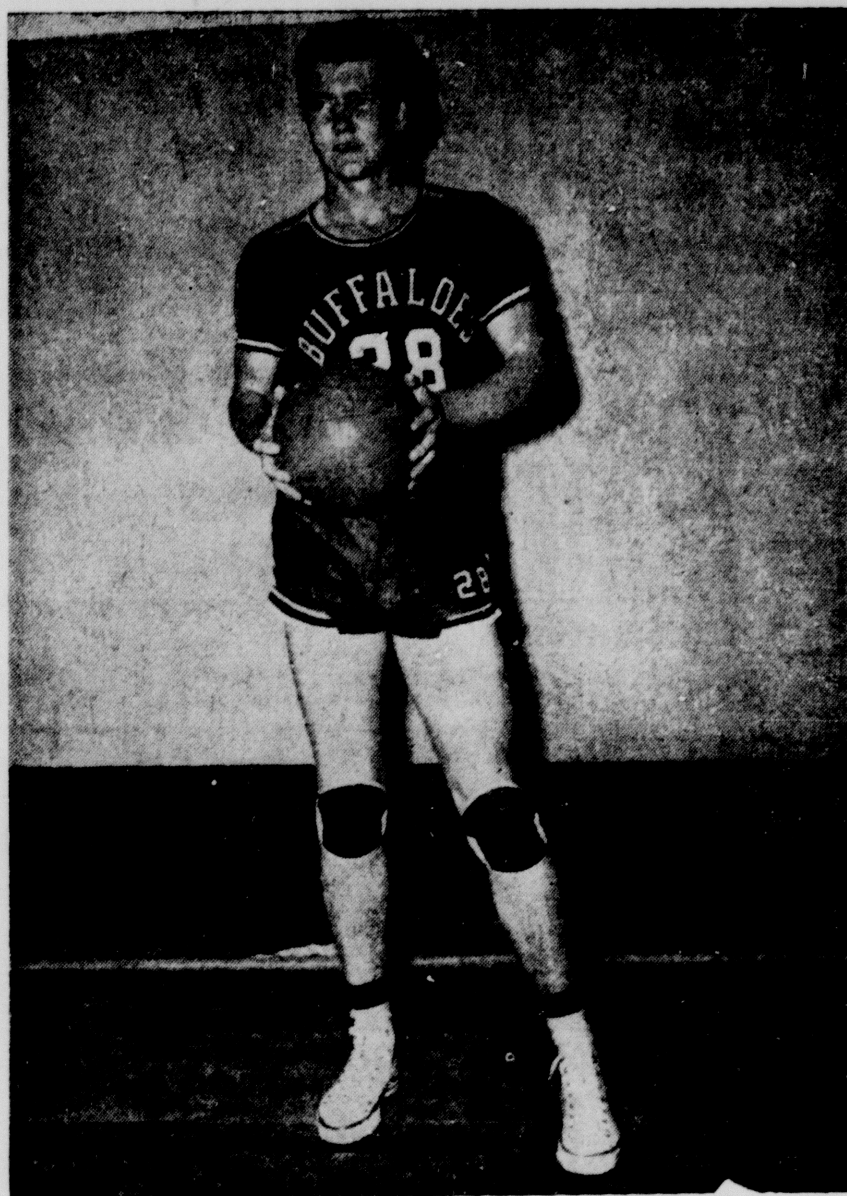
She was born in Needville, Texas, graduated from Richmond High School in 1941 and from Temple Junior College in May, 1946.

During the 1948-49 school year she was Dormitory Nurse for Andrews Hall at the University of Texas in Austin and served as a staff nurse for Brackenridge Hospital in Austin during that time.

Mrs. Longbine will be at West Texas State until January 31, she said this week, after which time she will move into a new home on Third Avenue in Canyon. She lives in the Health Center apartment now with her husband and daughter. She has been college nurse since January, 1949.

I found in Ghandi my saint and seer. He gave me peace of mind and serenity of soul which shall endure forever. My life as a teacher ended when Ghandi died.—Rev. John Haynes Holmes, retired head of New York's Community Church.

## Sophomore Standout



AUSTELL BURRUS

The only sophomore to make the starting lineup for the Buffaloes this year is Austell Burrus, Canyon forward, who took over that slot when Dwaine Stewart, star of last year's frosh squad, broke a bone in his foot. Burrus has been doing a remarkable job at his post not only in scoring, but can be relied upon to get more than his share of the rebounds. He is the low scorer of the five starters but didn't get to play much in the first two games. It was Burrus who led the rampaging Buffaloes in their win over the powerful Texas University Longhorns in Austin, in his second starting assignment.

## Buffaloes' Arizona Road Trip Could Determine BC Champion

The Buffaloes of West Texas State have a rough schedule in front of them this week. Three cage tilts await them on a road sweep through Arizona, and all three teams are expected to give the Buffs plenty of rugged competition.

Wednesday night the WT cagers run into a tall, experienced Arizona State team at Flagstaff. The Flagstaff cagers boast a squad that averages 6 ft. 2 in. in height, and also has four regulars from last year's team.

The following night they take on Arizona State at Tempe. The Tempe squad is led by Wade Oliver, a lanky 6 ft. 3 in. forward. Eight lettermen boost the Tempe team in both height and experience.

Arizona University will probably be the strongest team to take the court against the Buffs on the road trip. They are picked to repeat on the championship this year as they have done the past four years. The Buffs meet them in Tucson Friday night. The University has six lettermen from last year's championship squad, three of which were regulars. All-conference forward Leon Blevins tops this impressive array of basketweavers. Last season he hit the hoops for 390 points in 28 games for an average of 13.5 points per game. This squad is currently leading the Border loop with a record of nine wins and one loss, a close one to Texas University.

The Buffs next home game will be February 8, in Burton Gym, against Arizona State of Flagstaff.

U. S. forecast puts winter wheat crop 2 per-cent below this year's crop.

## The Answers

1. House, 262; Senate, 54.
2. House, 169; Senate, 42.
3. Vice-President Alben W. Barkley.
4. John W. McCormick and Scott Lucas, House and Senate, respectively.
5. Sam Rayburn, (D), Texas.
6. Egypt, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Lebanon, Yemen, Iraq and Jordan.
7. The United States of Indonesia.
8. The U. S. I. is composed of about 3,000 islands, with a land area of 735,000 square miles.
9. William McKinley—Inaugurated in 1897.
10. South Carolina.

Nazism went out with total capitulation. You can't kill a man twice. And communism is at its lowest ebb since 1917. The young people don't want communism. Germany has become a bulwark against it in Europe.—Max Brauer, mayor of Hamburg.

A higher level of pay for key Government jobs is not making it easier for Mr. Truman to recruit big-name individuals for service in his official family. The strong trend is toward an exodus of trained personnel to outside jobs that offer some chance to relatively big money.

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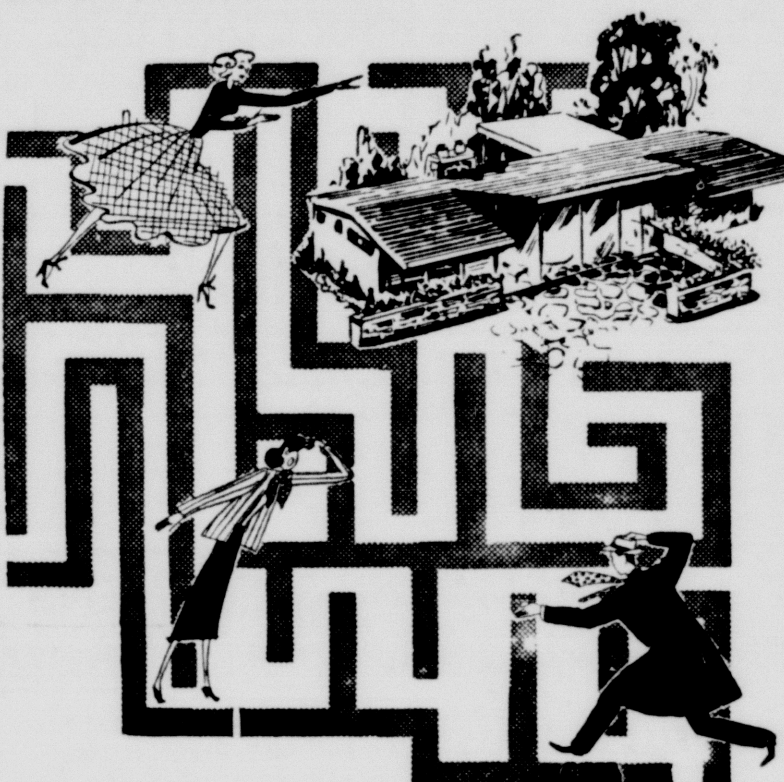
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## Umbarger News

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Artho spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wieck.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Beucher and family spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Batenhorst.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Penninger and Florida Lieshman spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Friemel.

Mrs. Ed Sharp and Leo Raef spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Raef.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bertrand and

family spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grabber.

Nick Hollenstein spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fischbacher.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Friemel spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fischbacher.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Evers spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Janssen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ish Keeshan of Kansas spent the week end in the Math. Albracht home.

Mrs. John Vorwald and children spent Sunday afternoon in the Rudolph Friemel home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Baten-

horst and family spent Sunday af-

ternoon in the Vincent Friemel home.

Mrs. Paul Artho and children spent Sunday afternoon in the John Wieck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Braddock spent Sunday in the Fritz Friemel home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Batenhorst spent Sunday afternoon in the Ben Koch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gerber and family were the dinner guests in the Otto Skarke home.

Those exchanging visits were:

Jimmy Janssen with Johnny Beck-

man, Bobby Skarke and Carol Linde-

mann with Melvin Prillas.

**VERIFICATION**

The lie detector is by no means

infallible, says an authority. Should

the subject be married, one might

try checking the device with the

wife.

## Highland News

A good crowd was out Friday night for the Farm Bureau meeting at the Highland school house. After a short business meeting, progressive "42" was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tandy and family had supper with the L. E. Masons on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Guthrie visited with the L. B. Hammonds of Canyon last Thursday.

Mrs. Sam McCraw spent Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. H. O. Crist, in Amarillo.

Miss Joan Fulton, a student of West Texas State College, spent the day with the A. M. Atchley family last Sunday.

Little Miss Rhenda Fuqua has been sick the past week.

Mrs. L. J. Fulton and Mrs. J. E. Broadus attended the council meet-

ing for the Home Demonstration Club in Canyon on Saturday.

Roy Lee Jones is home from the hospital.

Luther Mason has been attending the court meetings in Canyon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Evans and boys of Plainview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Winston Evans.

Mrs. Glenn Allred underwent a tonsillectomy in Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Miller and Nita Jo of Amarillo spent Friday night in the Winston Evans home.

Ann O'Hare McCormick, newspaper columnist: "It's a funny thing about Santa Claus. At Christmas time, everybody loves the jolly and benevolent old gentleman."

Football fields are called gridirons because the white lines crossing the field resemble a gridiron.

## MULLING IT OVER

"You've been out with worse-looking fellows than I am, haven't you?" She did not answer.

"I said you've been out with worse-looking fellows than I am haven't you?"

"I heard you the first time. I was trying to think."

The stoical scheme of supplying our wants by lopping off our desires is like cutting off your feet when you want shoes.—Jonathan Swift.

Hubert H. Humphrey, U. S. Senator from Minnesota: "I think it's abominable that Senate office pay-rolls are not public."

Carlos E. Romulo, Philippine Brigadier General: "Foreigners are human beings, endowed with the dignity of the human soul."

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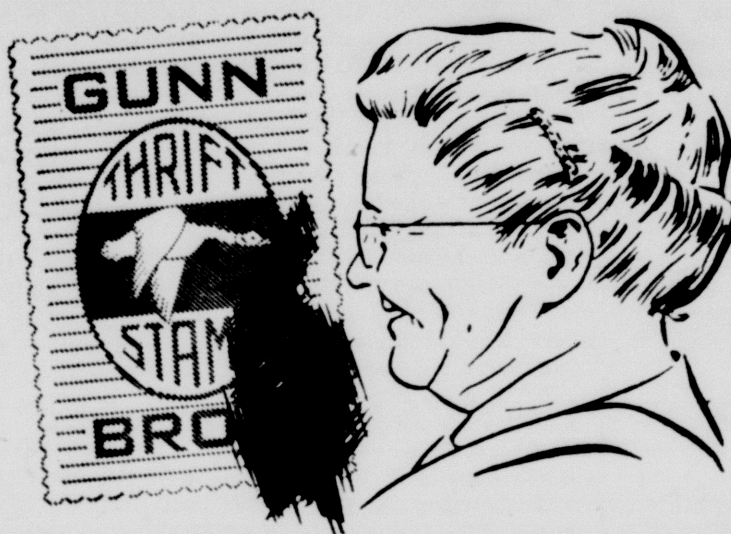
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## SALMON LOAF

By Mrs. Degraffenried

- 1 can Salmon
- 6 Large Crackers, crushed
- 1 Egg
- ¼ tsp. Salt
- 2 or 3 tbsp. Milk
- 1 tbsp. Onion

Remove the bones from Salmon and mix the above ingredients together. Steam in a buttered pan for about 45 minutes. Turn out on a serving plate and cover with cream sauce. Surround with creamed peas.



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## TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT

Report of Mrs. Elzie Price, County Treasurer of Randall County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from September 30 to December 31, 1949, inclusive:

<b>JURY FUND, 1st Class</b>	
Balance last Report	\$ 6,586.03
To Amount received since last Report	9,364.21
By Amount transferred to other funds since last Report	
Amount to Balance	7,653.24
Balance	14,297.00
<b>ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND, 2nd Class</b>	
Balance last Report	53,027.44
To Amount received since last Report	28,895.05
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "B"	30,679.38
Amount to Balance	51,243.11
Balance	81,922.49
<b>GENERAL COUNTY FUND, 3rd Class</b>	
Balance last Report	2,625.91
To Amount received since last Report	21,899.49
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "C"	2,699.80
Amount to Balance	21,825.60
Balance	24,525.40
<b>SALARY FUND, 6th Class</b>	
Balance last Report	5,679.67
To Amount received since last Report	12,411.27
By Amount paid out since last Report	10,033.58
Amount to Balance	24,525.40
Balance	18,090.94
<b>COURT HOUSE AND JAIL FUND 4th Class</b>	
Balance last Report	2,741.03
To Amount received since last Report	15,557.97
By Amount paid out since last Report	3,617.64
Amount to Balance	14,681.36
Balance	18,299.00
<b>CEMETERY FUND, 7th Class</b>	
Balance last Report	403.66
To Amount received since last Report	267.00
By Amount paid out since last Report	507.98
Amount to Balance	162.68
Balance	670.66
<b>R. &amp; B. FUNDING BONDS FUND</b>	
Balance last Report	2,013.56
To Amount received since last Report	4,090.99
By Amount paid out since last Report	950.00
Amount to Balance	5,154.55
Balance	6,104.55
<b>R. &amp; B. BOND SERIES B. FUND, 11th Class</b>	
Balance last Report	10,372.17
To Amount received since last Report	1,636.41
Amount to Balance	12,008.58
Balance	12,008.58
<b>LATERAL ROAD FUND</b>	
To Amount received since last Report	16,027.06
Amount to Balance	16,027.06
Balance	16,027.06
<b>STATE TREAS. R. &amp; B. FUND</b>	
Balance last Report	1,776.65
Amount to Balance	1,776.65
Balance	1,776.65
<b>RECAPITULATION</b>	
Jury Fund, Balance	\$14,297.00
Road and Bridge Fund, Balance	51,243.11
General County Fund, Balance	21,825.60
Salary Fund, Balance	8,057.36
C. H. & Jail Fund, Balance	14,681.36
Cemetery Fund, Balance	162.68
R. & B. Fund'g Fund, Balance	5,154.55
R. & B. Series B. Fund, Balance	12,008.58
Lateral Rd. Fund, Balance	16,027.06
State Treas. R. & B. Fund, Balance	1,776.65
<b>LIST OF BONDS AND OTHER SECURITIES ON HAND</b>	
6 \$1,000 U. S. Savings Bonds Series F (Cost)	\$ 4,440.00
Randall County Indebtedness as of December 31, 1949	
3-15-27 4 1/2% Road Bonds \$250,000.00	111,000.00
1-9-39 5% R. & B. Funding Bonds, 55,000.00	38,000.00
2-4-44 2 1/2% R. & B. Ref'g. Bonds, 27,000.00	15,000.00
4% Time Warrants	22,000.00
<b>Total Bonds and Warrants</b>	<b>\$186,000.00</b>

# Personality Pageant Plans Progressing

Letters have been sent to over 50 Panhandle high schools inviting a representative of that school to attend the Third Annual Plains Personality Pageant, to be held on the West Texas State campus February 24.

Members of the Student Senate, sponsors of the big affair, announced this week that plans this year call for the biggest and most elaborate celebration in the history of the affair.

As is the usual procedure, personalities, representatives of high schools throughout the Plains area, will be chosen by the students of the high school and will then be sent questionnaires from the West Texas State Senate. These high school students are then the honored guests of the Senate on the night they are presented to the student body here.

The main attraction of the event for West Texans here, however, is the election and crowning of campus personalities. The election date has not yet been set by the Senate. If the affair is carried on as it was last year, the king and queen of personality on the campus will be presented with their court, composed of the runners-up in the election here as well as the high school representatives who complete the royal court.

Last year's pageant included the music of Skinnay Ennis and his orchestra in the entertainment. Jack Worsham, Senate president, announced this week that letters have been written to booking agencies, but arrangements for the music

have not yet been made. Several bands have been offered, but each has been, according to Worsham, too expensive for this dance.

And a new attraction of this year's pageant, for the high school representatives will be a banquet in the blue room of the College Cafeteria, sponsored by the Senate. The banquet is planned as informal. Discussion has been underway by senate members with the cafeteria staff to determine the sort of meal to be prepared for the guests.

Also discussed at the Tuesday meeting of the Senate was the possibility of advance sales of tickets to the personality pageant.

Decorations are to be in charge of the Interclub Council, said Joe Merriman, Student Manager. Other committees appointed thus far include:

Welcoming committee, Jean Morgan. This includes arranging for transportation for the guests who come to the college, and also the reception of them.

Billeting, Gene Garrison; Decorations, Louanna Price and Joe Merriman; Platform, which means the throne platform and band stand, Kenneth Laycock and Ralph Wayne; Finance, Bill Evans; Flowers, Betty Sparkman; Advertising, Gort Rushmer and Don Turner.

Election Judges, George Black; Program arrangement, June Gilbert; Banquet arrangements, Doris Hastings and Music, Jack Worsham.

Joe Merriman, student manager, said that the Senate members listed above are merely chairmen of the committees named, and can choose as many other students as they wish to help with their part of the pageant.

Merriman and Worsham, as executive officers of the Senate, will have ex-officio positions on all committees.

# Home Burns in America Burns Every 90 Seconds

In the short space of time it will take you to read this, a home will burn somewhere in the United States. That is the literal truth—a home is destroyed every 90 seconds.

Will your home be next? It can be—unless you take a few simple precautions. One of the greatest tragedies of dwelling fires is that most of them could be easily prevented. To take one example, carelessness with cigarettes is a major cause of disaster. So are overloaded electrical circuits and frayed wiring. And so are improperly maintained stoves and heating systems.

There are many hazards that exist to some degree, in nearly every home. Are your basement, attic and closets littered with old magazines, old furniture, old clothes and other odds and ends that are all ready to feed a fire? How about cans of paint, cleaning solvents, and waste rags? Fire loves them. And remember that loose bricks in a chimney or fireplace are just what fire is looking for.

The loss of a home is more than a purely material waste. Fire insurance, vital as it is, can't pay for everything. It can build you a new house, but it can't replace possessions whose value is largely extrinsic. In many of our home fires, human beings are killed, injured and mutilated—and all the money in the world can't make up for that.

Watch the clock for ninety seconds, and realize that while you were doing it a home burned somewhere. When you return to your own home today, search it from top to bottom for hazards and get rid of them.

## WE WOULDN'T

The fact is, we wouldn't like Tito very much, either, if it weren't for the fact that Stalin dislikes him.

# Russians May Buy Meat But Has No Money

Suppose you are a typical Russian worker and decide that you'd like some meat for dinner. You can go to one of the state stores and buy a kilogram—2.2 pounds—of beef for 27 rubles.

It sounds simple. But there's one catch in it. The take-home pay of the average industrial worker is a trifle over 600 rubles a month—20 rubles a day. So that modest amount of beef represents nearly half again as much as he receives for a hard day's work in a mine or factory. The obvious result is that meat is one of the rarest of luxuries in most Russian homes, and the family diet consists largely of black bread, which is sold at a fixed low price, and which foreign observers who have tried it say is one step removed from inedible.

Many diverse factories are responsible for this condition. Among them are rigid and inflexible state controls, the almost complete absence of competition as we understand it, and the lack of a distribution system which is anywhere near adequate for Russia's population and area. The contrast with this country is glaring. Here, to still use meat as a typical example, we have free agriculture. We have an intensely competitive meat packing industry, which offers the producer a year-round cash market and which moves the meat supply to the centers of demand. And we also have an intensely competitive retail industry which performs the last step in bridging the gap between producer and consumer.

What is true of meat is true of most other commodities. If performance means anything at all, the controlled economies are abysmal failures—they produce a low level rather than a high level of living.

## INDIGNANT

Little George came home in a sad state. He had a black eye, many scratches, and his clothes were a sight. His mother was horrified and, with tears in her eyes, said rebukingly:

"Oh, George, George! How often have I told you not to play with that naughty Brown boy?"

"Play!" answered little George, looking at his mother in deep disgust. "Do I look as if I've been playing with somebody?"

## THE VERY IDEA

"Do you have fits of giddiness?" a doctor asked a middle-aged stern-looking woman.

"No, I don't," came the snappy retort. "I'm a respectable married woman."

The late President Roosevelt is being blamed by the British for "extravagant concessions" to Joseph Stalin at Yalta when he agreed to let the Russians have the Manchurian ports and Pacific islands that they wanted. Friends of Mr. Roosevelt, in turn, blame the American generals who insisted that Russia should have a big price to assure her entry into the war against Japan.

## ETIQUETTE

Mother (to small boy who is going to a party): "Now dear, what are you going to do when you've had enough to eat?"

Little Tommy: "Come home."

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### JANUARY 12 MEETING DAY FOR PLEASANTVIEW CLUB

The Pleasantview Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. John Jennings on January 12 with 10 members present. In the absence of Mrs. Joe Carver, president, Mrs. Earl Burtz acted as chairman. The program was "The Well Kept Yard." Roll call was answered by "Pruning the Yard Needs."

Mrs. A. B. Haynes had the opening exercise entitled "How to Be a Poor Club Member." Club committees for the New Year were named, and Miss Lou Ella Patterson gave an interesting talk on her recent trip to Chicago. She also gave a demonstration on pruning shrubs and trees.

Refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, nuts, jello salad, cake and coffee was served to Mrs. A. B. Haynes, Jr., and Elizabeth, Mrs. Cristler Crain, and Clayburn, Mrs. Beth Crammer, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. M. H. Brown, Mrs. J. W. Howell, Mrs. Irene Keller, Mrs. Earl Burtz, Mrs. R. A. Hodges, and the hostess, Mrs. John Jennings and one visitor, June Jennings.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Ruby Carver.

### DEUCE CLUB MET IN HOME OF CHRIS WOOTENS

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Wootens were hosts on Thursday evening, January 12 to members of the Deuce Bridge Club. Entertaining rooms were decorated with different colors of azaleas.

High score was won by Mrs. Tommie Lair, Mrs. A. C. Haley, Jr. took low score, and Clark Jarnagin won traveling prize.

Plate favors were hyacinth bulbs which were wrapped in different color paper and refreshments of date loaf, nuts and coffee were served to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Haley, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Clark Jarnagin, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Lair, Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy White, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. B. Warren, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Wootens, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sternberg, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bellah and guests Mr. and Mrs. George Schmitz, and the host and hostess.

### SUNNY HILL H. D. CLUB HOLDS BUSINESS MEET

The Sunny Hill Home Demonstration Club met on Thursday, January 12, at the home of Mrs. Eula Hayes with Mrs. Lester Knox as hostess.

Mrs. M. R. Miller gave the Council Report. Mrs. J. B. Knox made the agricultural report.

Committee appointments were carried over from last year.

Those present were Mrs. R. B. Gist, Jr., Mrs. S. L. Robinson, Mrs. E. W. Miller, Mrs. M. R. Miller, Mrs. J. B. Knox, Mrs. Everett Evans, Mrs. Eula Hayes, Mrs. Everett Culp and Mrs. Lester Knox.

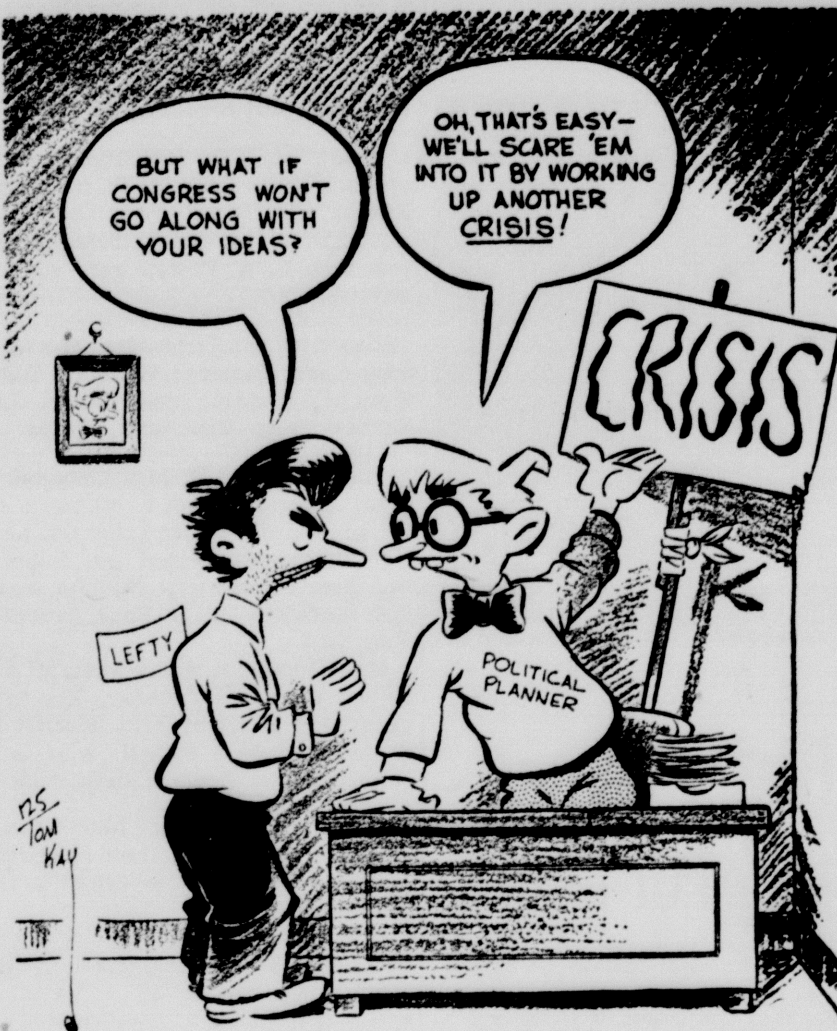
The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. W. Miller. Miss Patterson will demonstrate pruning shrubs at that meet.

Pat: Moike do yez know why an Irishman hits the pepper box on the bottom an' a Dutchman hits it on the side?"

Mike: Begorra, Pat, Oi don't. Why is it?"

Pat: Shure, an' it's to get the pepper out, Moike.

## THE AMERICAN WAY



Scarce Technique

### MRS. LA VADA ROSE IS HOSTESS TO ZITA H. D. CLUB

The Zita Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. La Vada Rose January 9, 1950. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Helen Ruthardt, president. Each member answered roll call with pruning needs in her yard. The group then sang "Beautiful Dreamer" and "Texas, Our Texas."

Mrs. Ruthardt announced the following committees for this year: Finance, Mrs. Ila Jennings, Mrs. Martha Olson and Mrs. Dean Angel; exhibit, Mrs. Helen Truax, Mrs. Dorothy Olson and Mrs. Juanita Gruner; year book, Mrs. La Vada Rose, Mrs. Donna Bell McCormick and Mrs. Clarence Delano; achievement, Mrs. Mary Gruner, Mrs. Dorothy Olson and Mrs. Genevieve Fulton; education, Mrs. Ethel Michael, Mrs. Esther Olson and Mrs. Monte Rockwell; Marketing, Mrs. Juanita Gruner; program, Mrs. Dorothy Olson, Mrs. Helen Truax and Mrs. Martha Olson; recreation, Mrs. Dean Angel, Mrs. Ila Jennings, and Mrs. Donna Bell McCormick; T. H. D. A. Reporter, Mrs. Donna Bell McCormick; reporter, Mrs. Martha Olson; parliamentarian, Mrs. Ethel Michael.

After the business session Mrs. Ruthardt turned the meeting to Miss Lou Ella Patterson, County Home Demonstration Agent, who gave an interesting discussion of pruning evergreens and summer flowering shrubs. Each club member was interested to know that no matter how small a plant is it should be pruned. Pruning can be done from now until the early summer.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served to Mrs. Dean Angel, Mrs. Helen Ruthardt, Mrs. Genevieve Fulton, Mrs. Juanita Gruner, Mrs. Mary Gruner, Mrs. Monte Rockwell, Mrs. Helen Truax, Mrs. Donna Bell McCormick, Mrs. Ethel Marshall, Mrs. Esther Olson, Mrs. Dorothy Olson, Mrs. Martha Olson and Miss Patterson.

PRUNING OF EVERGREENS-SHRUBS RALPH CLUB TOPIC

When the Ralph Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Albert Byars on Wednesday afternoon, January 11, the meeting was under the leadership of Mrs. Harold Byars, the new president.

Miss Lou Ella Patterson, County Home Demonstrator, gave a demonstration on pruning shrubs and evergreens.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Harold Byars on Wednesday, January 25.

Present were ten members, Miss Patterson and Judy Byars, visitor.

Treasury officials point out that if it were not for a change in accounting methods ordered by Congress effective in 1946 the Federal Government's budget would look about 4 billion dollars better than it does now. Senator Harry Byrd (Dem.) of Virginia, is credited with legislation that classified Government banking and investment operations as current operating expenditures.

President Truman's strategy on taxes is to try to force delay in acting on excise tax cuts and to make Congress take responsibility for cuts that upset further an unbalanced budget. Hope is to hold excise cuts to 700 million or less.

Britain's sudden brush-off given to proposals for a World Bank loan to help with development projects within the British Empire is related to political considerations. The Lab-Government wants voters to have a demonstration of its independence and ability to get along without new-type financial help from the outside.

Mao Tse-tung is to be recognized by U. S. within a matter of months as de facto ruler of China. Mao led the revolution that brought China under Communist rule.

General of the Army Douglas MacArthur, Supreme Commander in Japan, actually has not insisted that the island of Formosa is vital to U. S. defenses in the Pacific. The U. S. Joint Chiefs of Staff, for several months, have crossed off both China and Formosa as areas that U. S. can defend. General MacArthur is reported to have argued that Formosa could and should be defended, but not to have argued that it was vital for U. S. to have that island on its side.

Dean Acheson, Secretary of State, is going along with General MacArthur in draft of a peace treaty with Japan that would give U. S. rights to military bases on those islands. British concurrence in treaty terms is to be sought before a peace conference is called, with Britain inclined to be tougher than U. S. on economic terms.

John J. McCloy, U. S. High Commissioner for Germany, and not the Department of State in Washington, is making United States policy with regard to Germany. British report that, when a point of conflict arose between Mr. McCloy's position and that of Washington, the question was put flatly as to who makes United States policy in Germany, he or the State Department. "I do," was the reported reply.

## "Joan of Arc" To Show at Varsity

The road show attraction "Joan of Arc" starring Ingrid Bergman has been booked to play at the Varsity Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 25-26, and will be shown this year only at advanced prices.

The prices will be 55c and 80c for the matinee and 55c and \$1.20 for the evening show. The matinee price of 80c for adults will continue until 7:30 p. m. each Wednesday and Thursday nights. All students will be admitted for 55c and tickets can be secured from members of English and History faculty of the Canyon Schools.

Due to the length of the picture, there will be only one show at the matinee and one show only at night. The matinee will start at 1:00 p. m. and evening performance at 7:30 p. m.

"Joan of Arc" has been filmed on the same scale as "Gone With the Wind" and is the true historical drama during the 15th century.

### Fairview Breezes

Not many attended Sunday School Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Brauner and daughter visited the H. H. Shipman family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Folk and son, Harvey, visited Sunday in the Frank Rogers home.

Mrs. E. M. Wilson and son, Ervin, visited one evening the past week in the G. E. Wesley home.

Those visiting in the J. W. Wesley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wesley and children, Arlene and Artis; Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Whitson and children, Jimmy Don and Darla Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Cagle and daughter, Linda.

Mrs. Neil Shipman is to undergo surgery in the Neblett Hospital Monday morning at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley, Misses Vesta and LaVena Amerson, left Tuesday morning for a visit with a brother of the Wesleys, E. J. Wesley at Geneva, Alabama. They plan to be gone two weeks and to visit in Mississippi while away.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wesley and Miss LaVena Amerson attended singing in Canyon Sunday afternoon.

The singing at Fairview Wednesday evening was well attended. We enjoyed our visiting singers very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Raferd Shipman and Jannis visited in the Hoyle Shipman home one evening last week.

### HINGLISH UMOR

"What a big family you have, Mrs. Jones," said the visitor.

"Yes'm, And the funny thing is that all the names begin with a haitch. There's 'Orace, 'Erbert, 'Enery, 'Ugh, 'Ubert, 'Aroid, 'Arriet, and 'Ettu—all except the last one, and we 'ad er named Halice."

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# The Eagle's Tale

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## Melva Martin; Dana Rice Are Eagle's Tale Editor; Assistant

Melva Martin will edit the Eagle's Tale the second semester; succeeding the present editor Jo Parker. Dana Lee Rice and Peggy Moore will assist her as first and second assistant editors, respectively.

Melva, a senior, enrolled in Canyon High the second semester her sophomore year. She has attained many honors since she joined CHS, among them are: Junior Who's Who, sergeant-at-arms, and Hallowe'en Carnival candidate, her junior year and this year she is FHA secretary, a member of the annual staff, and was assistant editor of the Eagle's Tale the first semester.

The members of the staff will take over their new positions for next week's issue.

**Eighth Boys Trounce Happy; Eighth Girls Stump W. T.**

Coach R. D. Wheelock's high flying eighth graders beat the Happy eighth graders at Happy last Friday afternoon by a one sided score of 54-19.

Arlen Ruthart was high point with 14 tallies followed by Ed Money and Jim Reynolds with 12 and 10 points.

The eighth grade girls, coached by Mrs. C. C. Graham, also rolled up a high score in the 44-6 defeat of the W. T. eighth graders in the Canyon grade school Friday afternoon. W. T. coaches were Belva Gregory and Martha Fleming.

Johnnie Faye Bonds and Lila Mae Hunter were high scorers with nine and four points respectively.

### STAFF

Editor this week: Mary Ruth Hill  
Editor: Jo Parker  
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Copyreader: Peggy Moore  
Reporters: Mary Ruth Hill, Mickey King, Dana Lee Rice, Peggy Moore and Geneva Devin.  
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**A FUTURE TEACHER?**  
Why not a Future Teacher organization in Canyon Public School? The Future Teachers of America grew out of the Horace Mann Centennial in 1937 and is a project of local, state, and national education associations. Its field is the million or more young men and women in high school and college who are considering teaching as a career. College groups are known as chapters, high school groups are known as clubs.

The FTA has made a steady growth from 14 active chapters with 278 members in 1938-39 to 217 active chapters with 9154 members in 1947-48.

The purpose of the FTA in high schools is exploratory, provocative, and character-forming.

Future Teachers of America is a glorious name. It is composed of three ideas. The "Future" belongs to youth and is full of hope, opportunity, and promise for those who prepare themselves for it. "Teachers" are the builders of civilization. Next to the mother who passes on the unending stream of life comes the teacher who preserves, enriches, and transmits the ideals and purposes of the race. America is peculiarly the home of the "Future" and the Teacher.

Why wouldn't one like to be a Future Teacher of America?



MELVA MARTIN



Ladies and gentlemen; you too, CHS students, Cal is back with the campus gossip.

It hasn't been discovered what Joyce Payne and Jimmy Montgomery talk about in the halls. The weather and studies, I suppose.

Clara Sue Hardaway and Clement Merchant is another pair of steadies around Canyon High now.

Mary Ruth Hill has been seeing quite a bit of Billy Ray Webb of Tulia, lately.

Garland Butler keeps the road hot between Canyon and Lubbock. Swell city isn't it, Garland? He was also making time with a girl at Claude.

Have you noticed the lighter spots in Donna Erwin's and Barbara McDougal's hair this week?

Florence Coffee and Raymond Henders; Betty McGehee and Tommy Gooch were couples seen together at church Sunday night.

Bill Morton and Carlene Rogers are seen together rather frequently.

Berkely SoRelle's and Elvira Boyd's engagement for Saturday night, a week ago, included attending the local cinema. Last Saturday night he was at the same place with a different girl, Sherma Dixon.

Do you think Norris Root has cute ears? Melva Martin thinks they're darling.

Harrell Slack spends his Sunday afternoons at Betty Jean Graham's.

Barbara Glanton and Ray Burrus, with Katie Furlow and Landon Barrett partook of refreshments together after the game Wednesday night.

Bargara McDougal and Robert McClendon enjoyed each other's



DANA RICE

## New Features Add Convenience to CHS

How cheerful the walls of CHS are now that they are being redecorated! Ceilings of flat white top walls slightly tinted with green, below which is a seafoam waistcote. One has a feeling of walking through soft, green forests as he goes from one class to another.

There will be no more messy lockers now that 192 new ones have been bought, placed in the hall of the second floor, and are being painted the same, cheery seafoam color.

A new electric eraser duster has been recently installed in the locker room on the north side. There should be no more unsightly chalk dust on buildings, due to old fashioned eraser-dusting methods.

Students who are weak from hunger now have a leaning rail in the cafeteria to support them as they stand in line, waiting to be served. Incidentally, the rail is to protect the wall.

Probably one of the most important changes is that of new sanitary fountains replacing old germ-spreading ones.

company after play practice Wednesday night.

The latest triangle around CHS is Doris Keller, Curly Slack, and George Scott.

Cal has it, in good authority, that Melba Stroup would like to go with Bruce Winn.

The mystery remains. Who did Jim Arnold go with Thursday night?

Bobby Ford was quite down hearted because Cuby Kitchens wouldn't speak to her last week.

Ava Dooley sure must trust Jerry Harding, he was driving her car around Saturday night without her.

**Senior Personality**  
Name: Wayne Prichard

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Drinks: Malt (any flavor)  
Actor: John Wayne  
Actress: Janet Liegh  
Sports: Football  
Pastime: Loafing  
Pet Peeve: People  
Girl friend: Females.  
Color: Blue  
Ambition: To grow tall  
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## Grade Notes

Jerry Ann Montgomery is back in school after having been out and in the hospital with pneumonia.

A new pupil in Mrs. Collins' first grade is Ray Gibson from Amarillo. Phillip Waters has withdrawn and is now in the Hereford school.

Visitors in Mrs. Collins' first grade this week have been Mrs. Bob Belah, Mrs. D. A. Prichard, Mrs. T. M. Thurmon and Mrs. Roy L. Biffle.

A new pupil in Mrs. Black's first grade is Anna May Holik from Oklahoma.

Ann Prichard, Ginny Deane Black and Mrs. L. A. Foster were visitors last week.

Two new pupils in Mrs. Murrell's room are Eugene William Holik from Oklahoma, and Linda Lee Earnest from Beaumont, Texas.

The Bird Club in Mrs. Goodman's room met and had a program on the blue bird. Officers for the next meeting were elected as follows: Pat Pond, chairman; Martha Maddox, secretary; T. B. Baca, program chairman.

Mrs. Goodman was a guest of the Rotary Club last Tuesday. The program was given by Mrs. Merritt of Amarillo Public School, who is a consultant on hearing deficiencies.

Mrs. Cousins and her fourth grade class wish to express their sympathy to Gayle Welch on the death of her grandmother.

Interest in elementary science discussion has been increased by the pupils' observation of a hyacinth which they planted. The hyacinth is now blooming. "Seeing the flower grow gives them a better idea how sunlight makes chlorophyll in green plants," says Mrs. Cousins, their teacher.

A combined farewell and birthday party was given in Barbara Hutton's honor by her mother, January 8. Refreshments of birthday cake, dixie cups and punch were served to the group.

Max Wayne Johnson is out because of a sore foot. Returning from a two weeks' trip in California is Bobby Zachry.

New pupils in Mrs. Cousins' room are Gayle Welch from Oregon and Roxie Winters from Blossom, Texas.

ful and attentive in writing their examination papers.

"Final examinations will not be given over and only those students which are sick or have some emergency in the immediate family will be permitted to make up examinations," states Mr. J. E. Miller, principal.

## Candidates Chosen For DAR Contest

Donna Erwin, Jo Parker, and Martha Hales have been chosen as candidates for the Daughters of the American Revolution Award. The faculty will choose one of the girls to represent Canyon at the State meeting this year. The organization fosters the work to encourage girls



PEGGY MOORE

## FFA Purchases Stock For Boys

The Sears Foundation, an organization interested in promoting agriculture in the south, contributed to the buying of two heifers from Joe Hales and Bill Wilson to be given to two local chapter boys. These boys are Larry Prater and Tommy Middleton. The FFA foundation which is promoted by large business concerns, also gave to this fund.

Raymond Hinders purchased a heifer in the fall from Bill Wilson. This heifer will be part of the Future Farmers dairy improvement program.

The swine improvement program, which began in 1945, has produced 36 gilts and sows for the chapter. This year Sterling Cummings and Charles Lindsey received gilts under this program. From the 1948-49 reports, twenty-six boys raised beehives, labor income amounted to \$2042.44. These animals produced 9,488 pounds of meat.

Forty boys raised pigs; the labor income amounted to \$2,127.20, thus yielding 19,000 pounds of pork.

## SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS ARE THIS WEEK'S MAIN ACTIVITY

Semester tests are being given Jan. 18 and 19. Periods are one and one-half hours long. All students must remain in class at least one hour and are not to report to school except at examination periods. Study Hall will be open at all times for use.

Students are warned that the final examination is to count one-fourth of the semester's grade. It is urgent that students be thought-



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## Canyon Basketeers Lose By 20-18; Eaglettes Overridden By Bobbies

### Samples and Ford Garner High Point Scoring Berths

A close and exciting score of 18-20 in which Sudan won was marked up in the well played conflict between the Sudan Hornets and Canyon Eagles at Sudan Saturday night.

Low scoring was predominant throughout the game as both clubs were exceptionally sharp on defense, but Bill Samples was also sharp on offense as he racked up two field goals and a free shot for a total of five points and high scoring laurels. Billy was closely followed by Ray Burrus and Bob Busted who garnered four apiece. Ray hit four free shots out of five attempts and Bob poured in one field goal and two free shots.

Pickett led the scoring for the Hornets with 11 points to his credit. Foster was his closest team mate with four.

The Eagles led at the end of the first quarter, but were trailing 9-5 at the half. Canyon tied it up 13-13 after three quarters of play, but

Sudan pulled ahead to win by two point margin when the final whistle blew.

As coach George Scott was short three players from the 'A' squad and wanted to conserve his 'B' string, he would not consent to an overtime. The 'B' game ended in a 13-13 tie.

Roy McCarter headed the scoring list with five points followed by Billy Morton with four.

The Eagles' next games will be Friday night with Lubbock, there; Saturday night with Memphis, there.

The Canyon Eaglettes will compete in the Tulia Tournament this week end; 27 teams, boys and girls, are entered.

In a game with Dalhart, the Eaglettes came out on the short end of the score 43-34. Bobby Ford was high point for the Eaglettes with the sum of 17 baskets. Patty Ford made 7, Barbara Glanton, 4 and Tysene Cox, 6. Canyon's guards were Lorayne Carter, Barbara McDougal, Joanna Haines, Bobby Foster and Patsy Priddy.

## Dull Days Depress Ducky Drip's Drills

Flat as a flounder, school life is getting back to normal after those hectic weeks during Christmas Holidays and New Year's celebrations.

Students must once more put noses, almost grown back to normal, to the grindstone. What a sad, depressing thought that is! Making it all even sadder are semester tests coming up. Moods are matching the weather, and needless to say, that is not especially bright and cheerful.

Tired and worn out, drooping, lack-a-daisical students need a new outlook on life.

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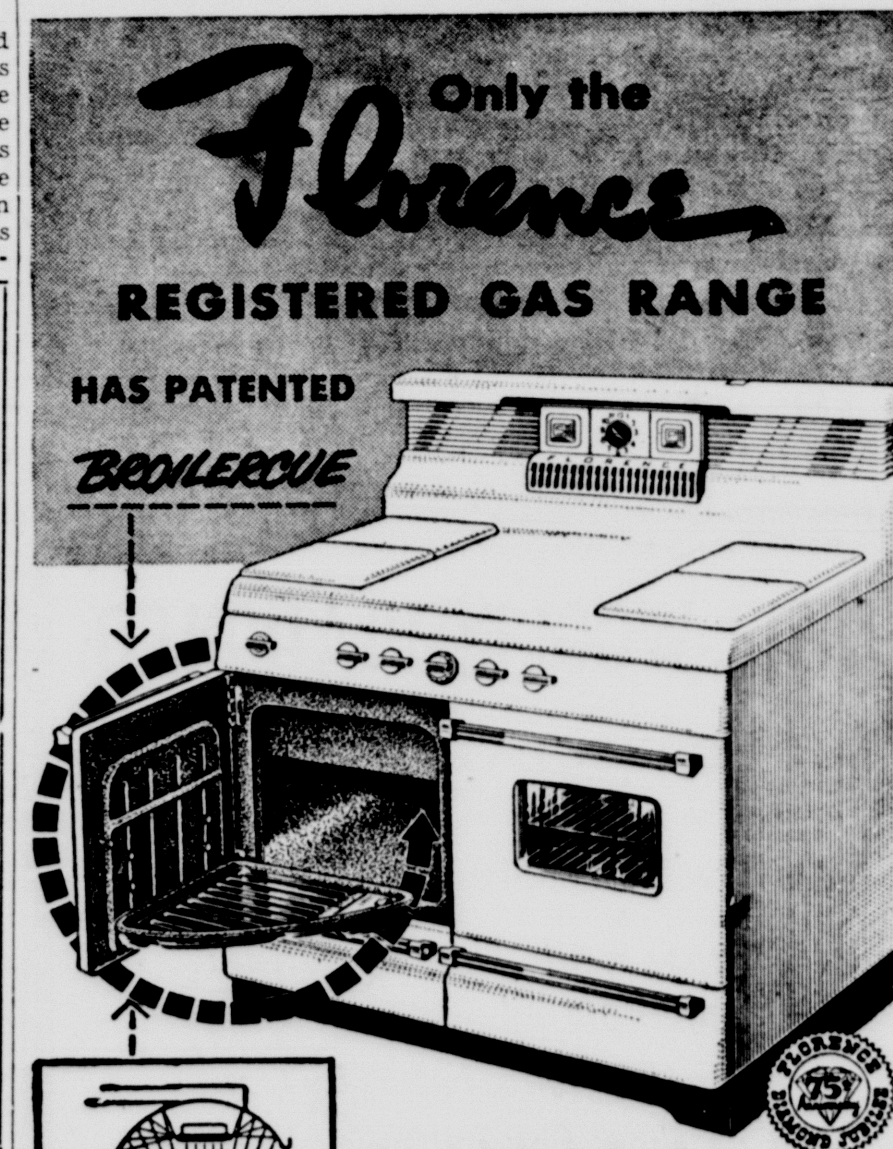
"Ah misery,  
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anonymous.

to become dependable, patriotic citizens.

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## Anderson-Ruthart Rites Read In Arlington, Colo.

Miss Mary Myrtle Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clair Anderson of Arlington, Colorado, and Sanford William Ruthart, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ruthart of Canyon, were united in marriage Thursday, December 29, 1949, at 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon in the

Evangelical United Brethren Church of Arlington. Dr. Lloyd C. Nichols, pastor, read the double ring service.

Tall baskets of white and pink gladioli tied with white satin ribbon flanked the communion table which held the Cross. White tapers in seven branched candelabra lighted the altar which had an effective background of ferns.

Miss Juanita Anderson sister of the bride, lighted the candles. She wore an afternoon gown of aqua taffeta with black accessories and

a corsage of pink carnations.

Miss Ellen Jane Nichols, of Pueblo played "Because," "Oh, Promise Me" and "At Dawning" and accompanied Mrs. Lloyd C. Nichols, who sang "Always" preceding the ceremony and "The Lord's Prayer" as the couple knelt on the prayer rug at the close. The traditional wedding marches were used.

Miss Beth Anderson of Wasilla, Alaska, wearing a faulle turquoise afternoon gown with black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations, was her sister's only attendant.

Donald Ruthart of Canyon, brother of the bridegroom was best man. Dallas C. Anderson and William N. Anderson, brothers of the bride, and Madison Ruthart, brother of the bridegroom, were ushers.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, Clair O. Anderson, wore a navy blue slipper satin afternoon gown made with high neckline, cap sleeves, and flared skirt which was accented by a bustle back. Her navy shoulder length net veil was held in place with pink rose buds and rhinestone combs. She wore a black onyx brooch centered with one rhinestone and matching earrings. She carried a white testament mounted with a white gladioli and pink rose bud nosegay.

Following the ceremony the couple was honored with a reception in the banquet room of the church.

Miss Juanita Anderson registered the guests. Mrs. Norris Anderson, aunt of the bride, Mrs. Dallas C. Anderson and Mrs. Wm. N. Anderson presided over the refreshment table which was laid with a white lace cloth over pink and centered with a three-tier wedding cake topped with a white church motif and flanked with tiers of white tapers.

For a going away suit the bride chose a grey gabardine with black accessories. Her corsage was the one that had mounted the Testament she had carried during the wedding ceremony.

Mrs. Ruthart was born and reared near Arlington on her father's ranch. She was graduated from the Arlington High School in 1944 and from York College, York, Nebraska, in 1948. She taught last year in Brighton, Colorado, grade school.

Mr. Ruthart is a graduate of West Texas High School, a veteran of World War II, having served the Army three years, two of which were spent in Germany. Since the war he has engaged in farming and is now associated with the Cities Service Station in Canyon where the couple will be at home.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ruthart and Darrell of Haswell, Colo., Mrs. Crawford Ruthart and Donnell of Canyon and Miss Jo Veta Billingsly of Farwell, Texas.

### 1930 BRIDGE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. C. R. BURROW

On Friday afternoon Mrs. C. R. Burrow was hostess to members and guests of the 1930 Bridge Club.

Seasonal flowers were attractively placed in the entertainment rooms.

At the conclusion of the games an attractive salad plate was served to Mrs. James P. Cornette and Mrs. Frank Barnhill, visitors; Mrs. Wallace R. Clark, Mrs. John S. Humphreys, Mrs. S. L. Ingham, Mrs. R. P. Jarrett, Mrs. Frank Kimbrough, Mrs. T. B. McCarter, Mrs. P. E. Savage, Mrs. R. A. Terrill, Mrs. Clyde Warwick, Mrs. Anne Wofford and the hostess.

### SURPRISE BIRTHDAY DINNER HONORS G. H. PRICHARD

Sunday Mrs. G. H. Prichard honored her husband with a surprise birthday dinner in honor of his 50th birthday.

Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Prichard, Arabeth and Luranell; Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Prichard and two children; Mr. and Mrs. Emil Olson; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hollabaugh; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Prichard; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Prichard and four children; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Platt and two children; Grandpa T. J. Prichard; Mrs. Washburn; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Turner; Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Bonnington; Juanita and Houston Prichard, the honoree and the hostess.

### PITT HOME SCENE OF CENTRAL CLUB COVERED DISH LUNCH

Mrs. P. L. Pitt was hostess to the Central Home Demonstration Club when the club met with her for a covered dish luncheon on Friday, January 13.

A bountiful meal was served at the noon hour after which the president, Mrs. W. L. Rice, called the club to order and committees were appointed.

Mrs. Fred Marshall will be F.H. D.A. reporter, Mrs. Maude Walters, assistant secretary and Mrs. Levi Cole will be assistant reporter.

Mrs. S. L. Terry explained copper work and two dates were set for members to learn the art.

Those attending all or part of the time were: Miss Lou Ella Patterson and Mrs. Cloy Knox, guests; Mrs. W. L. Rice, Mrs. George Barker, Mrs. Fred Marshall, Mrs. Otto White, Mrs. Maude Walters, Mrs. Terry, Mrs. Velton Sogee, Mrs. R. E. Foster, Mrs. S. R. Hood, Mrs. Levi Cole, Mrs. Mae Johnson and Mrs. Pitt, members.

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### FRIDAY BRIDGE CLUB IN MEETING AT WARWICK HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Warwick entertained the Friday Bridge Club Friday night.

A dessert course was served, following which bridge was played at seven tables.

The following members and guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Harp, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kleinschmidt, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Knighton, Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Neblett, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Coffee, Dr. and Mrs. Ples Harper, Dr. and Mrs. Robt. P. Jarrett, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Parker, Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Nesbiter, Mrs. James P. Cornette.

### MUSIC ARTS CLUB MEETS IN BRYAN McDONALD HOME

Members of the Music Arts Club met Monday, January 16, at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. Bryan McDonald. After a dessert course served by the hostess, Miss Matilda Gaume played a Sonata by Baldassari Galuppi and

A Tarantella by Prokofieff. Miss Kathy Truax, a guest, sang "My Lover Is a Fisherman," by Lily Strickland; she was accompanied by Mrs. Glenn Dowlen.

Present were Mrs. T. H. Knighton, Miss June Wimberly, Mrs. H. R. Fulton, Jr., Mrs. Joseph Findley, Mrs. Dan Sanders, Mrs. Glenn Truax, Miss Ada V. Clark, Miss Isabel Robinson, Mrs. Herschel Coffee, Mrs. Ples Harper, Miss Marie Fronabarger, Mrs. Dowlen, Miss Gaume, Miss Truax, and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wester and daughter Doris with I. M. Wester returned to Carlsbad, New Mexico, last Thursday after having received word that the men had been called back to work at the Potash Mines after a 10-week strike.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baber are spending a week with friends in Glen Rose, Texas. They will return home via Wichita Falls where they will visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Farlow visited in Panhandle Sunday.

## Final Rites For Mrs. D. A. Webb in Tulia Church

Mrs. D. A. Webb, 84 years old, succumbed last Tuesday morning, January 10, in Neblett Hospital here. Mrs. Webb had broken her hip last November and had never been able to get up following her accident. She had lived east of Canyon for many years with her son, Maynard Webb.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon, January 11 at the First Christian Church in Tulia. Burial was in the Tulia Cemetery.

Survivors include two sons, Maynard Webb of Canyon, and Tilman Webb of Plainview, and one daughter, Lillie Webb of Canyon, and eleven grandchildren.

Mrs. Geraldine Simmons, who teaches public school music in the Shamrock High School, was in Canyon Saturday attending to business and visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hart.

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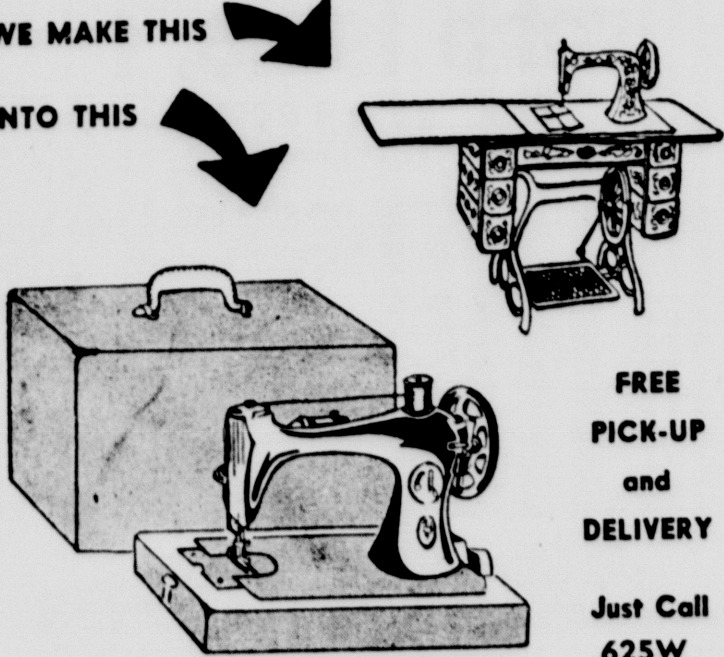
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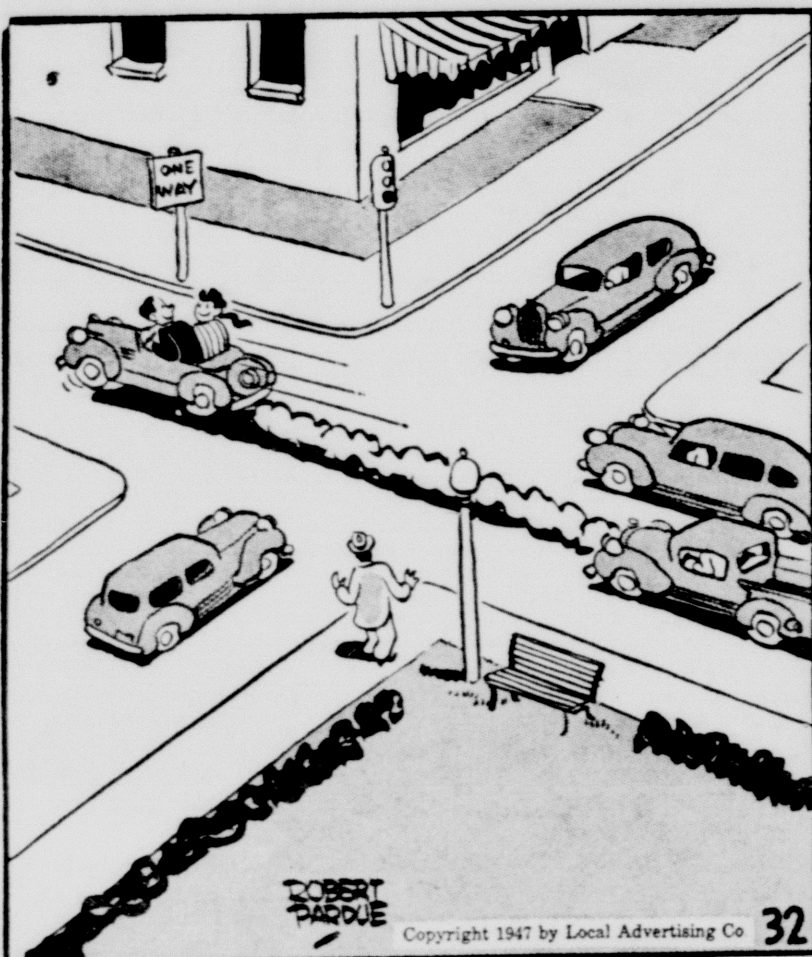
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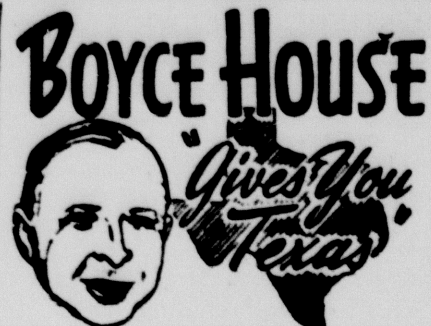
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Nearly 25 years ago, your columnist used to be the one-man news staff (editor, city editor, sports editor, telegraph editor and reporter) of a small West Texas daily. One day, I saw something which caused me to write the following sketch:

Dashing over U. S. Highway 80 from Eastland to Ranger, a motorist glimpsed that fascinating, unending "big parade" of huge buses, lumbering trucks, glistening cars and wheezing antiques.

Then there came in sight a queer group laboriously approaching the top of the hill.

An old, creaking cart. A woman walking alongside, her face wrinkled and so smitten by sun and wind that it was the color of leather. A donkey trudging along. And, beside him, a man with a rope around his waist, helping to pull the vehicle.

The man's face was burned to a brown that was almost Asiatic. A coarse stubble covered his chin.

Poverty and suffering were written in every feature of that picture—the ancient cart covered with a flapping canvas, the weary burro, the worn travelers.

Here was an anachronism. Over the brick highway, where gaily go thousands of cars daily and above which airplanes hum, was toiling this couple in a manner befitting the days when Daniel Boone was fighting the Indians.

This plodding pair—where were they going? Were there relatives in the West where a welcome awaited? Were they bound for the Plains of Texas or for California, which they may have heard of as lands of opportunity and wealth for all? Or were they following a wander-urge that carried them across deserts, valleys and mountain ranges? What were they getting out of life? Did they smile and laugh as other people do who have homes and definite niches in this world?

Through what experiences did they pass in all those years from prattling childhood to the moment that they came toiling up that hill, and through what experiences will they pass as they travel broad highways and narrow byways that stretch on perhaps to the close of their days?

In fiction, the writer tells what has gone before and then carries the creatures of his imagination on to the end. But, in life (the motorist reflected) we view a scene for an instant, as though revealed by a flash of lightning at night. Darkness precedes. Darkness follows.

### CARD OF THANKS

To the Doctors and the Entire Staff of Neblett Hospital we wish to express our deep gratitude and sincere appreciation of the untiring efforts and the devotion of the skill of each of you to the care of our mother and grandmother during her long illness in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Webb and family. Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Webb and family. Miss Lillian Webb.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation for the many deeds of kindness and the beautiful floral offerings during the illness and death of our mother. May God's rich blessings dwell with each of you. Roy, Grover, Joe and Paul Carver and families; Mrs. Ethel Welch and family; Mrs. Nellie Carver and family.

Russia is to get one more vote on the top Security Council of the United Nations when Communist China takes its seat on that seven-nation Council. U. S. is to lack the votes to keep Communists from taking over from the Nationalists as representatives of China.

### STATE SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD OF TEXAS

NOTICE OF HEARING UPON ORGANIZATION OF PROPOSED RANDALL (147) SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT, EMBRACING LAND LYING IN RANDALL COUNTY, TEXAS.

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of December, 1949 there was duly filed in the office of the State Soil Conservation Board, at Temple, Texas, a petition signed by fifty or a majority of land owners pursuant to the provisions of the State Soil Conservation Law, as enacted by the 47th Legislature, known as House Bill No. 444, requesting the establishment of Randall (147) Soil Conservation District; and

WHEREAS, the lands described by said petition, and other lands which will be considered for inclusion in said district, are located in Randall County, described substantially as follows:

All lands lying in Randall County, Texas.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held pursuant to the said petition, on the question of the desirability and necessity of the creation of such district; on the question of boundaries to be assigned to such district; upon the propriety of the petition, and of proceedings taken under the said Act. The said public hearing will be held by the State Soil Conservation Board on the 25th day of January, 1950, beginning at 2:00 o'clock p. m., at Canyon Court House in the county of Randall.

All interested parties are invited to attend and will be given opportunity to be heard at the time and place hereinbefore specified.

(Seal)  
STATE SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD  
By V. C. MARSHALL,  
Executive Director.  
Dated this 6th day of January, 1950.

## Rheumatic Fever Is One of Fatal Diseases for Children

Rheumatic fever causes more deaths than any other disease in children of school age, declared Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. The first attack usually occurs in children at the age when they are in the first or second grade and recurrences are most common up to the age when children are leaving high school. The insidious onset of so many cases during the school year suggests that teachers and others in daily contact with school children should be aware of early signs and symptoms which may mean acute rheumatic fever.

Dr. Cox said, "There should be more and improved examinations of school children by physicians with time enough for the nurse or teacher and parents to plan with the physician for any needed medical attention."

"School absence due to illness or vague disorders, if investigated, may disclose early cases of rheumatic fever. Teachers need to be more alert to visible signs and symptoms suggestive of substandard health. Among these signs and symptoms which should bring children to the attention of teacher or parent are: Failure to gain weight; pallor; poor appetite; fatigue; frequent colds and sore throats; scarlet fever or any known streptococcal infection; unexplained nosebleeds; unexplained fever; pain in arms, legs and joints; unusual restlessness; history of previous rheumatic fever; behavior changes; decreasing achievements in school by a child who has previously done well.

"Children reported by the teacher as showing evidence of substandard health should be medically reviewed by the physician and needed medical care arranged for such children as soon as possible."

Chiang Kai-shek, on the island of Formosa, is down to the last 75 million dollars out of the billions that U. S. gave and lent to him in aid, military and nonmilitary. How to run an Army and maintain a Government establishment without resources on hand is the problem that has Chiang stumped.

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

## Wayside News

Sister Lois Cox filled her regular appointment Sunday morning. Garland Foster and Wanita James accompanied her.

Mrs. Lella Carter passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jim Stoddard in Amarillo, Friday night, after a lingering illness. She is also the mother of Mrs. Wyatt Heisler of this community. She is well known here as she and her family formerly resided here. She was laid to rest in the Wayside cemetery by the side of her husband who preceded her in death a number of years ago. We extend heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Mrs. E. A. Franklin has been on the sick list but is much improved. Her daughter, Mrs. Bonnie Sluder of Happy, spent a few days with her.

W. R. Franklin was a business caller in Happy and Canyon Saturday.

Mrs. John Stockett and Mrs. J. R. Kennedy and Betty Ruth were Amarillo callers one day last week.

Mrs. Johnny Ferris and children who sailed for Germany a few days before Christmas arrived in time to spend the holidays with their husband and father who had been waiting several months for their arrival. Lem Fisher of Canyon attended church at Wayside Sunday morning.

Reports that President Truman is worried about the prospects that Governor Chester Bowles of Connecticut will try to take the nomination away from him in 1952 are phony. If Mr. Truman wants another nomination he can have it for the asking, or he can arrange a draft without much threat of a challenge.

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<b>FORD TRUCKS</b> .....	Truck Increase	24,683
<b>All Other Trucks Combined</b> .....	Truck Increase	15,382
<b>TRUCK "B"</b> .....	Increase	9,884
<b>TRUCK "C"</b> .....	Increase	3,835
<b>TRUCK "D"</b> .....	Increase	2,179
<b>TRUCK "E"</b> .....	Increase	5,026
<b>ALL OTHERS</b> .....	decrease	5,542
<b>TOTAL</b> .....		15,382

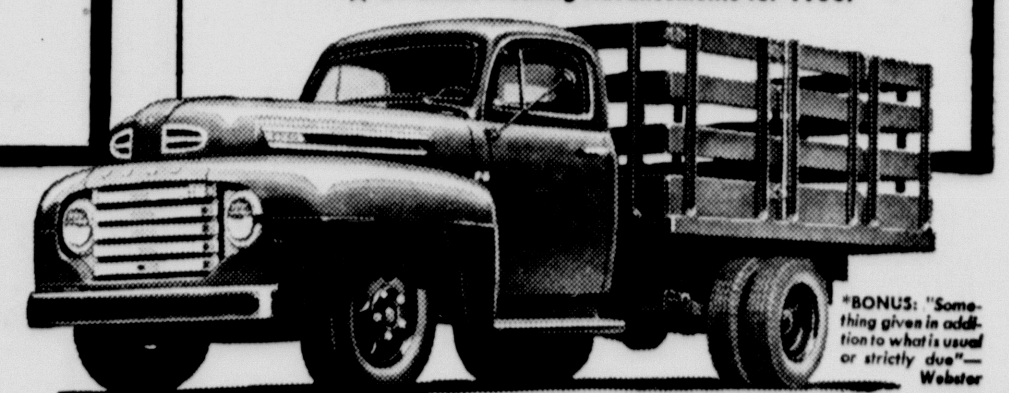
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- ★ Ford longer truck life!
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### News In Canyon 25 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the Randall County News of January 15, 1925)

Lee Satterwhite, State Representative of this district, was elected Speaker of the House in Austin.

L. A. Warren of Levita has started work on the two brick buildings just west of the college campus. He will open a new confectionery business in one of the buildings, with J. S. Cleland of Levita moving here to manage this business. He will rent the other building.

S. B. Orton has bought the old Methodist Church and will wreck it to build houses. The Methodist congregation will move to the new building the second week in February, states the pastor, Rev. M. M. Beavers.

Mayor C. N. Harrison states that a sample of Canyon's city water was taken to Lubbock by the Texas Utilities Co. and ice was manufactured without treatment of the water.

A new 20-ton ice plant is under construction by the Texas Utilities Company.

John Beggin, former brick mason of Canyon, died in California.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mark L. Foster.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Whittenburg.

Louis Harvey and Miss Carrie Bauer were married.

Henry F. Ratjen and Miss Evelyn Walters were married.

Wheat is suffering from the lack of winter moisture.

Amarillo is voting March 7 on a \$1,750,000 bond issue for the purpose of buying land from Judge C. T. Word and developing a water supply with a big dam and nine wells.

### Deals in Dirt

Warranty deeds filed in Randall County Court House through Friday, January 13, include:

Henry Dacus et ux to Elmer Runquist. Lot 8, Blk. 109, Oliver-Eagle addition.

Allie Mickle et vir to Guy F. Owens. E. 222 acres of the S. 366 acres of Sec. 95, Blk. 6, I & GN survey.

Joe J. Mickle et ux to Guy F. Owens. W. 144 acres of S. 366 acres of Sec. 75, Blk. 6, I & GN survey.

John T. Broadway et ux to Neil Cooper. E. 65' of W 1/2 of E 1/4 of Blk. 3, Maxwell Suburban addition city of Canyon.

W. R. Ballard to Veteran's Land Board. N 1/2 of S 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 64, Blk. 1, Tyler Tap R.R. Co. Survey.

K. S. Reynolds to R. T. Hickman et ux. Lot 2, Blk. F. Broadmoor.

Albert Bertelson et ux to Chauncey A. O'Brien et ux. Lot 2, Blk. 4, Bertelson Acres.

Mollie C. DeGraffenried to Newton Crain. N 1/2 of Blk. 9 of Victoria Addition, town of Canyon City.

Claud Heaton to A. R. Morgan. Lots 1 and 2 and E. 20' of Lot 3 in Blk. 73 of original city of Canyon.

A. R. Morgan et ux to Claud Heaton. Lots 11 and 12 in Blk. 14, Normal addition to city of Canyon.

William D. Clawson et ux to Benjamin S. Alvarez. Lot 11, Blk. 11, T-Anchor.

Melvin L. Beyer to C. W. Comstock, Jr. Lot 19, Blk. 1, Palo Duro addition.

John P. Mathis to Carson Lake Oil & Gas Company. Lot 19, Blk. 1, Palo Duro Addition.

James C. Terry et ux to James H. Bryant et ux. Lot 14, Blk. 11 of T-Anchor Number 2.

J. Evetts Haley et ux to M. L. Sherrod. W. 50' Blk. 13, Maxwell Suburban Addition.

Llano Cemetery Association to the Kearns Grain and Seed Co., Inc. 9.67 acres of Section 171, Blk. 2, AB&M Survey and being cut off the extreme western portion of Llano cemetery properties.

L. A. Pitt to Winston O. Solomon et ux. Lot 4, Blk. C, Broadmoor.

Martin R. Sheets et ux to J. E. Bowman. Land beginning at SE corner of Tract 1 West to South line of Tract completing 300 feet, and SW 194 feet, thence S and E to point of beginning in Blk. 14.

### BRIGHT CHANCE

Father: Git yer jacket aff, young man, an' come wi' me.

Jock: Ay, but I thought it was me, are ya, father?

Father: I am that; didna' I tell yer this mornin' that I'd settle wi' yer fer bad behavior?

Jock: Ay, but I thought it was only a joke, like whin ye tell the grocer ye'd settle wi' him.

### LIKELY

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## March of Dimes Increase Asked For Year's Work

On Monday of this week, January 16, the 1950 March of Dimes campaign began. Because of last year's record toll of the dread disease, more and more contributions to the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis is needed. The campaign lasts through January 31, and Mrs. C. O. Elkins is Campaign Director for Randall County.

"Epidemic aid funds of the National Foundation were wiped out by last year's toll of new cases," Mrs. Elkins states. "We do not know what this year will bring, but we must be prepared for any eventuality. No victim of this disease will be denied necessary medical care for lack of money. Only our dimes and dollars in unprecedented amounts will assure this."

Half the funds contributed during the March of Dimes remains with the local Randall County Chapter, Mrs. Elkins said. This money is used to help pay for that part of medical care which a patient's family cannot afford and, in emergencies, to supplement national epidemic aid.

The other 50 per cent is sent to National Foundation headquarters to be used for research, education of professional personnel and epidemic aid to communities whose chapter treasuries become exhausted. It is this fund, which was depleted by 1949's unusual severe epidemic.

A national official explains why costs were so high last year.

"First, there were many more cases than in any other year of our history," he said. "But even more significant, these cases were spread out over every section of the country. In past years, there had been a series of sharp, concentrated outbreaks. But last year, 40 states had more cases than in 1948."

"More iron lungs, more hot pack machines, more nurses, doctors and other highly trained personnel naturally were needed. In past years, we could borrow them from areas where there were no epidemics. But in 1949 with so many areas affected, personnel and equipment were needed everywhere."

"Yet not one call for help went unanswered. If an iron lung was not available, the National Foundation bought a new one. And iron lungs cost \$1,500 each, plus transportation. As of mid-October, 2,632 nurses were recruited through the American Red Cross and sent to 38 states; in addition, 160 physical therapists and 37 resident physicians were sent to critical areas—all, including the nurses, at National Foundation expense."

The 1949 epidemic really did not stop on December 31, 1949. The cost for medical care will stretch thru 1950 for thousands, and even longer for some.

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